

Observe Missouri Press Day

Newspaper Men
And Women Honor
Guests at State
Exposition Today

Missouri Press Day is being observed at the Missouri State Fair today, at which time nearly 100 editors and publishers of newspapers from over the state and members of their families are in attendance. The estimated attendance today of paid admissions to the fair grounds up until noon today was 5,723, which is still 1,000 more than the same period on the same day in 1942.

A district meeting of the members of the Missouri Press association is being held this evening in the Missouri Press building with W. C. Hewitt of Shelbyville, Mo., state president to preside. Editors and publishers from ten counties, Jackson, Cass, Bates, Lafayette, Johnson, Henry, St. Clair, Hickory, Benton and Pettis are in attendance.

They are attending the program in front of the grandstand this afternoon and following their meeting will be guests of the Missouri State Fair at the night program which includes the horse show and the Ernie Young Revue. A buffet luncheon is to be served at the press building at 5 o'clock to be followed by the meeting at which time "shop talk" will be enjoyed.

Editors Promoted Fair

President Hewitt in discussing the fair and the newspapers of Missouri said: "This year the editors have done more to promote the State Fair than in the past, in an endeavor to give to Missouri the first post-war exposition with a successful response from Missourians."

President Hewitt also furnished a real country ham for the sandwiches to be served at the luncheon.

Big Crowd Thursday

The attendance at the fair on Big Thursday proved to be an old fashioned "Big Thursday" with a crowd of 32,106 persons passing through the entrance gates to the grounds, a greater number by 15,140 over 1942.

The all-over attendance for Thursday was 24,366 daily paid admissions, 1,240 season tickets, 2,000 service men and women in uniform and 4,500 children under 10 years old. In 1942 it was 16,016 daily paid admissions, 750 season tickets and 2,000 children.

Grand stand attendance for Thursday was: Afternoon program 5,418 grandstand, 728 in the bleachers and 489 boxes. Total 6,635. Night 6,253 grandstand, 409 bleachers and 426 boxes. Total 7,288.

Cross From Ernie Pyle's Home
On the altar of the little chapel in the Hall of Religion at the Missouri State Fair is a cross which came from Dana, Indiana, a little town in the western part of the state, the home of the greatest of the World War II newspaper columnists, Ernie Pyle, who died in the Pacific last year.

The cross is made of unpolished light wood and stand approximately two feet high on a base of the same timber. It is on display by J. C. Mayne, director of the Hall of Religion, whose father has been a minister at the Presbyterian church of Dana from which the cross came.

Floriculture Department

Many garden clubs were represented Tuesday, "Federation day" at the Missouri State Fair floriculture building at a board meeting of the state federated garden clubs of Missouri. Mrs. R. O. Powelson, president and judge of the 1945 exhibits, was promised wholehearted support for the show to be held next year. Several past presidents were at the meeting.

J. E. Smith of Columbia, superintendent of the floriculture department felt the show this year was good, although failing to equal normal standards for number of exhibitors.

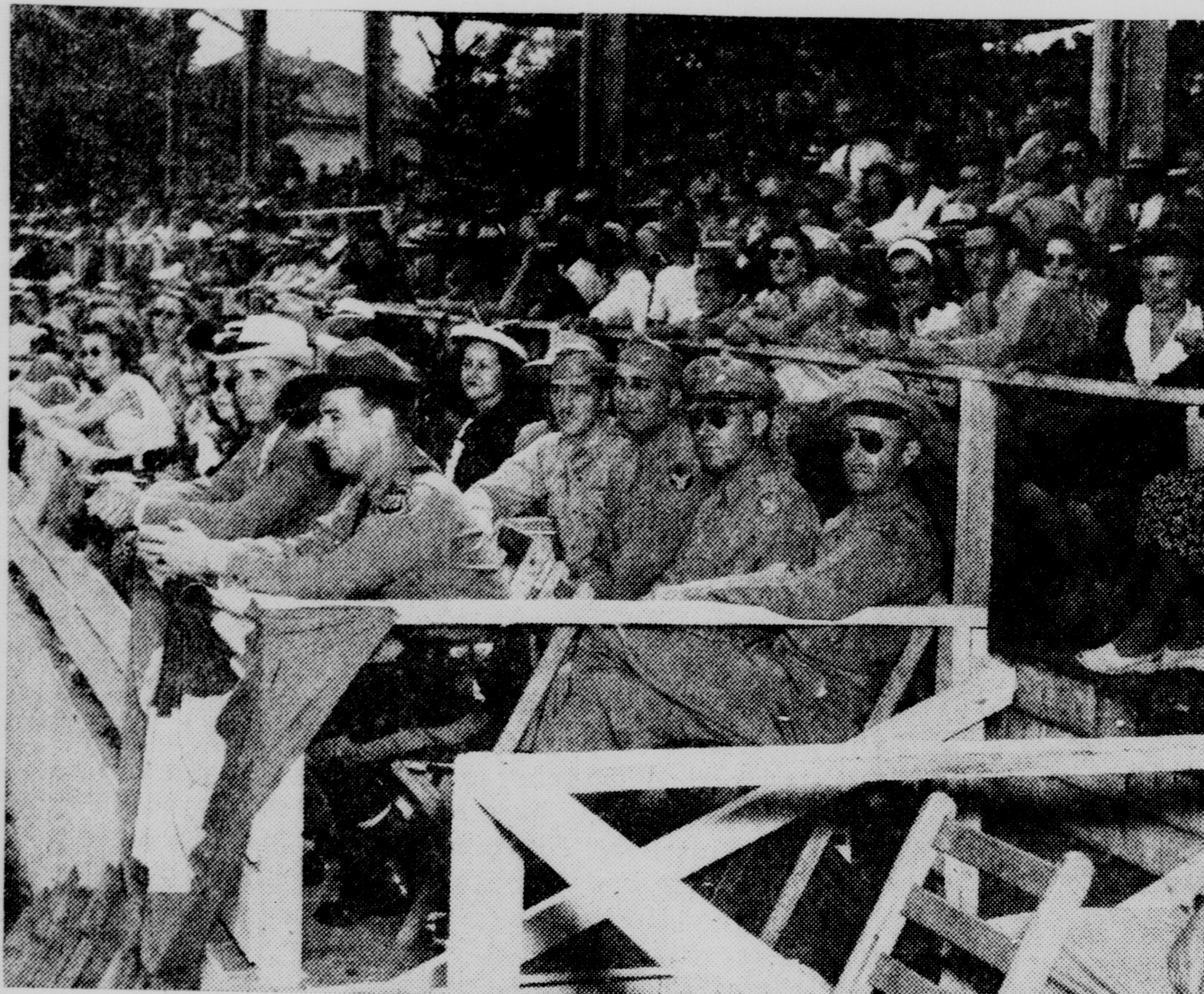
Awards were distributed among exhibitors as follows:

Fail to Sink Fast Minelayer

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24—(P)—Six suicide plane crashes in less than an hour failed to sink the fast minelayer Aaron Ward.

The ship, which suffered 96 casualties, including 42 killed, during the concerted attack by 10 kamikaze planes off Okinawa May 3, returned 12,000 miles to the Brooklyn navy yards for repairs. Work was suspended, however, after Japan's surrender.

Governor's Party at the State Fair



NECK AND NECK AS THEY HIT THE HOME STRETCH and the governor and his guests watch them come. Left to right Governor Phil M. Donnelly of Missouri (in the straw hat); Col. Hugh H. Waggoner, Supt. Missouri State Highway Patrol; Col. Reed G. Landis, commanding officer, Troop Carrier 61st Wing Headquarters; Col. Jerome B. McCauley, Command Officer, Sedalia AAF; Lt. Col. William A. Allen, Director of Administration, 1st Wing Hdqrs.; Col. Julius A. Kolb, Executive Officer, Sedalia AAF. Hidden by Col. Waggoner is Brig. Gen. John A. Harris, Adjutant General of the Missouri State Guard, also a guest of the governor.

Doctor Lamar Parachuted To Make Calls

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24—(P)—Doctor Lamar uses a parachute to call on his patients.

He is Maj. Robert Lamar of Kansas City, Mo., formerly of the army medical corps and now of the office of strategic services, who recently parachuted into Japan occupied China with an OSS team sent to release Lt. Gen. Jonathan Wainwright and fellow Americans from a Japanese prison camp. Lamar was assigned the job of giving whatever medical treatment was required by the prisoners.

For the 30-year old doctor, a "drop" is nothing new. He went through parachute training at Ft. Benning, Ga., and in Australia and then made jumps in New Guinea while with the army medical corps.

He came back to the United States on rotation early this year, and while here became interested in the OSS. He volunteered for "hazardous duty behind enemy lines" with the OSS and went overseas last May after taking a tropical medical course at Walter Reed army hospital.

Other Team Members

Twenty-eight year old Major James T. Hennessy of Springfield, Mo., a regular army officer graduated from West Point in 1940, commanded one of the parachute rescue teams sent in by OSS. He transferred to that agency from the army in March, went to China in June and was selected for the group to make a drop in the Mukden area.

Another member of the rescue teams is Maj. Ray Arthur Nichols of Milwaukee who joined OSS last February and went to the Orient in May. He had been attached to the United States military mission in Moscow before joining OSS. His group parachuted to contact members of the Doolittle outfit, held prisoners since the bombing of Japan. Forty years old Nichols was born at St. Louis.

Sgt. Joseph Murphy Home From Europe

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Murphy and five children, of Kansas City, who came to Sedalia to spend a few days visiting relatives and attending the fair, have received a telephone call from their son, Staff Sergeant Joseph W. Murphy, Jr., from New York, telling of his arrival there after three years in the European theatre of war. He said he would be home soon and Mr. and Mrs. Murphy and children returned to Kansas City today to await his arrival.

Sgt. Murphy who is 23 is the oldest of thirteen children in the family.

Robert Keith Shaffer Enlists In Navy

Robert Keith Shaffer, apprentice seaman, U. S. N. R., son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred K. Shaffer, 901 South Prospect avenue, has left for the U. S. naval training center at San Diego, Calif.

He enlisted at the U. S. navy recruiting station in St. Louis during the summer.

Shaffer was graduated from Smith-Cotton high school with the class of 1945, and was employed on the news staff of the Sedalia Democrat-Capital for the last year.

Bothwell Hospital Notes

Kathleen Goetz, Cole Camp, 8 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Goetz; Lee Vinson, 815 East Nineteenth street, 9 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Art Vinson and Philip Imhauser, Sedalia, route 5, 13 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Imhauser, admitted for tonsillectomy.

Miss Virginia Jones, star route, Sedalia, admitted for medical treatment.

Mrs. Forrest Elkins, route 1, Sedalia, admitted for minor surgery.

Miss Amanda Meyer, Mora, and Ed Lawson, route 1, Marshall, dismissed.

Truman Will Take Care of Veterans' Jobs

Present Law Ceases When Hostilities Are Legally Stopped

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24—(P)—Veterans needn't worry that a technicality may leave them without any legal right to their former jobs.

That's a promise, and it comes from President Truman.

The chief executive told a news conference yesterday that he intends to see that veterans who want and are entitled to their old jobs get them back. If additional legislation is needed, Mr. Truman said, he will recommend specific changes to Congress.

Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, director of selective service, said in Boston Wednesday night that due to an omission veterans will not be legally entitled to their old jobs when Congress or the President declares that hostilities are ended.

Originally a section of the selective service law carried a guarantee that a serviceman who had a job could go back to it if he applied for it within 90 days. It also carried a provision that if the other parts of the selective service law were dropped, the job guarantees would continue.

Same Guarantee

The present law has the same guarantee, unchanged. But it does not contain the provision that these job rights go on no matter what happens to the rest of the act.

That's the point Hershey was making. As it now stands, the announcement of the end of hostilities would end the entire act, including job guarantees.

But Mr. Truman said not to worry, that there isn't likely to be any sudden announcement of the end of hostilities. He added that after the last war it took quite a while to declare the war formally ended.

That passes the issue back to Congress, and the feeling here is that the veterans-conscious Congress will adopt quickly any recommendations Mr. Truman may decide are necessary.

The Weather

Central Missouri: Fair and warmer tonight and Saturday.

Lake of the Ozarks: 1.4, fall 1.

Sunrise 6:34 a. m. Sunset 7:56 p. m.

Temperature: 7 a. m. 51 degrees; 3 p. m. 80 degrees.

Information On Disarmed Mercy Vessel

MANILA, Aug. 24—(P)—The Japanese government transmitted to General MacArthur today full details on the voyage of the disarmed mercy vessel which the Allied commander authorized to take medicines and supplies to Japanese isolated on Minamitoro Shima.

The vessel will leave Japan Aug. 25 and return to Tokyo Sept. 1, the day after the Allied occupation.

The text:
With reference to our radio-gram number 22, dated August 23, details concerning supplies to Minamitoro Shima are as follows:
Please acknowledge.

(1) Vessel to be used—transport number 16.
(A) One-thousand-two hundred ton displacement, two masts, one funnel, destroyer type.

(B) All explosives removed, guns removed or rendered inoperative.

(C) Marked with green crosses on both side of the bridge and hoist the Japanese flag, with prescribed navigational lights at night.

(2) Schedule—leave Yokosuka at sixteen hours (4 p. m.) August 25, steaming direct to Minamitoro Shima; arrive at the island at six hours (6 a. m.) August 28. Leave the island at sixteen hours (4 p. m.) August 29. Steaming to Tokyo. Arrive at Tokyo at eight hours (8 a. m.) September 1.

New Bank For Boonville

BOONVILLE, Mo., Aug. 24—(P)—Application has been made to the Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, D. C., for organization of a national bank in Boonville with a capital stock of \$100,000 and a surplus of \$25,000.

The charter is sought by a group of Boonville businessmen.

Fire Companies Make Runs To Grass Fires

Two grass fires on West Sixteenth street were reported to the fire department Wednesday evening; one in the 1700 block with no damage, and the other in the 2300 block, with no damage.

A grass fire was reported on Marvin avenue and Twelfth street in a vacant lot but no damage resulted.

Name Telephone Executive

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 24—(P)—Victor E. Cooley, vice-president of the New York Telephone company, was elected first vice-president of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company at a board of directors meeting today.

Cooley succeeds William L. Holley who died July 31.

British Hope Lend-Lease Will Continue

Churchill Cannot Believe US Word is Final

By W. W. Hercher

LONDON, Aug. 24—(P)—Prime Minister Attlee told commons today the sudden end of lend-lease put Britain "in a very serious financial position," and former Prime Minister Churchill said he could not believe that "this was the last word of the United States."

Attlee said the British government had hoped that lend-lease would not have ended without prior consultation.

In response, Churchill, now leader of the opposition, declared he could not believe the United States "would proceed in such a rough and harsh manner as to hamper a faithful ally who held the fort while their own American armaments were prepared."

Attlee cautioned members of the house to exercise "utmost restraint" within and without the chamber in commenting on the situation and Churchill agreed that a debate now might be detrimental to national interests. Churchill called Attlee's statement "very grave and disquieting."

More Conferences

The prime minister disclosed that Lord Halifax, British ambassador to the United States during the wartime coalition government had been invited to return to Washington to negotiate the financial arrangement which will succeed lend-lease.

Attlee said President Truman's directive cancelled all outstanding lend-lease contracts and provided that stocks and deliveries procured under it must now be paid either in cash or negotiated credit arrangements.

"We had not anticipated that operations under the lend-lease act would continue for any length of time after the defeat of Japan," he said, "but we had hoped the sudden cessation of this great mutual effort would not have been effected without consultation and prior discussions."

Must Pay Expenses

The prime minister said Britain's "overseas outgoings" on the eve of Japanese defeat were equivalent to an annual expenditure of about eight billion dollars, including essential food and other non-munitions supplies, "which we must now pay for."

Winston Churchill, opposition leader, exclaimed in response to Attlee:

"I cannot believe that this is the last word of the United States. I cannot believe that so great a nation, whose lend-lease policy was characterized by me as the most unselfish act in the history of the world, would proceed in such a rough and harsh manner as to hamper a faithful ally who held the fort while their own American armaments were prepared."

No Prospect of Settlement

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 24—(P)—Negotiations in an eight-day-old carriers' strike against three daily newspapers came to a standstill today with no immediate prospect for a settlement.

The carriers' union (AFL) local 450 has been picketing the plants of the Post-Dispatch, Star-Times and Globe-Democrat since Aug. 16. Pressmen (AFL) have refused to cross the picket line and all employees but a few editorial deskmen at each newspaper office have been laid off without pay for the strike's duration.

A conciliation committee of representatives of four unions disbanded last night following a six and one-half hour meeting with the publishers and the union with the statement that "for the present at least any further effort on its part . . . is futile."

Charles Bond, business agent for the carriers' union, said all proposals either by the carriers or the publishers have been rejected and no further meetings are scheduled.

The carriers are seeking collective bargaining rights with the three publishers under a national labor relations board ruling.

Combat Troops Make Protest

JEFFERSON BARRACKS, Mo., Aug. 24—(P)—A protest over their redeployment to the China-Burma-India theater for occupational duty was sent to President Truman yesterday by members of four infantry divisions which fought under Generals Patton and Hodges in Europe.

The letter of protest, signed by 250 members of the 4th, 8th, 87th and 104th divisions whose homes are in Missouri, Iowa and Arkansas, said the move "disqualifying men 37 years of age and those with 75 points or more for overseas services does not help us. . . . Since we are combat troops and have proved our worth on the battlefield we object to being converted into occupational troops."

"We feel there are many men in the various branches of service who have never served overseas and . . . should be the first to go. We ask you to intercede for us and all the other combat divisions being redeployed from Europe to the Pacific."

The men are to leave shortly for Fort Benning, Ga., for a six-week deployment period.

Atomic Bomb Death Toll Is Mounting

Noticeable Loss Of Red and White Corpuscles

By the Associated Press

The Tokyo radio said today that radio activity in Hiroshima, blasted by an atomic bomb, was taking a mounting death toll weeks after the day of the attack, and that in the 14 days following the raid the death toll had mounted from 30,000 to 60,000.

The broadcast, recorded by the Associated Press, said servicemen working in the area on reconstruction a week after the attack were found to have severely diminished numbers of red and white corpuscles.

Investigations in the city showed "radio activity caused by the fusion of uranium used in the atomic bombs is taking a toll of mounting deaths, and moreover is causing persons engaged in the reconstruction work in Hiroshima to suffer from various sicknesses and ill health."

Tokyo broadcasts have been referring repeatedly to the atomic bomb raids on Hiroshima and Nagasaki, possibly in a bid for world sympathy.

The Broadcast Said:

"Although the war has ended the spectre of death hangs over the remaining citizens of Hiroshima. In an investigation made three days after the atomic bomb hit Hiroshima it was reported there were 30,000 dead and 160,000 injured out of a total population of 250,000. Two weeks after the death toll had mounted to 60,000 and is continuing to rise.

"The majority of the injured persons received burns from powerful ultra-violet rays from the atomic bombs, and those with a two-kilometer (1 1/4-mile) radius from the center of the bomb explosion received burns two or three times.

"Those within three to four kilometers (about two miles) radius of the bomb received burns to the extent that their skin turned bright red, but as these burns were caused by ultra-violet rays they hardly felt the heat at that time. Two hours later, however, blisters formed, resulting in dropsy.

Death List Grows

"Although abundant medical supplies were rushed to the scene of the disaster and treatment was unsparingly given the victims, the death list continued to grow daily. It is recalled following the atomic bomb raid on Hiroshima an American radio broadcast said Hiroshima had been turned into a place where all living creatures cannot exist for 75 years. It added that to send scientists to investigate the damage caused by the atomic bomb would be suicidal.

"Examination of 33 servicemen, of whom ten had received burns while engaged in reconstruction projects one week after the bombing took place showed those with burns had 3,150 white corpuscles and the others who were apparently healthy had 3,800. Compared with ordinary healthy persons who have 7,000 to 8,000 white corpuscles, this is a drastic decrease.

"On the other hand the servicemen with burns had only 3,065,000 red corpuscles and the others, apparently healthy, 3,094,000, which when compared to the four and a half to five million red corpuscles of an ordinary healthy person is again an extreme shortage.

"This shows no one can completely recover from injuries sustained from the atomic bomb."

Rains Have Bugged Down Airfields In Tokyo, Allies Told

Four Possible Typographical Errors Found

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24—(P)—The Japanese found four possible typographical errors in General MacArthur's surrender instructions and today asked him if they were errors. The text of the message, the 35th from the Japanese government to the supreme commander, follows:

"In connection with the instrument of surrender and the general order, military and naval, number one handed to our representative at Manila, it is desired that the following points be clarified by the supreme commander for the Allied powers:

"One—instrument of surrender. (A) Whether "the supreme commander's," in paragraph "B" is meant to read "the supreme commander."

(B) Whether "by and other" in paragraph "B" is meant to read "by any other."

"Two—General Order Number One, military and naval.

(A) Whether "to" at the beginning of paragraph "E" of one is erroneously inserted.

(B) Whether there is no omission of some words before "to include" in paragraph "A" of "IX" (SIC).

"Please acknowledge. Thanks."

Missouri Pacific Men in Germany

HEADQUARTERS, TRANSPORTATION CORPS, PARIS—Seventeen former employees of the Missouri Pacific Lines now are serving in Germany with the Transportation Corps 729th Railway Operating Battalion.

The battalion was the first of a score of railway battalions attached to the Second Military Railway Service to arrive in England. It also was the first battalion to operate in France, its first detachments arriving late in June, 1944. It operated the Cherbourg to Carantien and Lison line until the New Year when it was transferred to several large classification yards outside of Antwerp. After Allied Forces crossed the Rhine River, it was assigned territory east of the Rhine.

First Sergeant Dorsey E. Schreiber, 1627 South Barrett avenue, Sedalia, is one of the seventeen.

Lightning Strikes on Vernon Glenn Farm

Lightning struck a large barn and killed a horse on the farm of Vernon Glenn, 10 miles north-east of Sedalia on the Beaman road, at 4:30 o'clock Tuesday evening during a light rain storm.

The barn, filled with hay, did not catch fire, but was damaged considerably from splintering of boards.

The horse, a ten-year-old black draft mare, valued as a work animal, was killed when the bolt hit the stable beneath the hay loft. The mare was worth approximately \$100, it was estimated.

Home By Transport

Mrs. Emory Brown received a wire from her husband, Wednesday, stating that he had arrived safely at Miami, Fla., on August 20. Pte. Brown came by air transport from Italy and he was a member of the 88th division of the 5th Army and has been serving overseas about 10 months. He will report at Jefferson Barracks.

Home From Overseas

James Ream, son of Fred E. Ream, of Green Ridge, has arrived home from overseas and with his wife and children, John and Harriett are spending the week in the home of his father. He was a member of the 88th Air Force and was stationed in England about 15 months. He came home on the Queen Elizabeth.

Home From Europe

Pfc. George Droegge, who has just returned from two years of service in the European theater of war, is spending a 30-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Droegge, north of Knob Noster. Pvt. Andrew Droegge, stationed in Springfield, spent the week-end with his parents.

Maintaining Roads

Dry weather and heavy traffic have kept a crew of men busy sprinkling and grading not only the race tracks in front of the grandstand at the fairgrounds but also the roads leading in from the entrance gate. Several cars and busses have reportedly been "stuck in the dust" during the week.

Enemy Command Warns MacArthur Only Medium Planes Can Make Landings

By Leonard Milliman.

Associated Press War Editor.

An advance Allied airborne occupation party will land near Tokyo Sunday (Tokyo Time), to spearhead the main landings on Japan scheduled for Tuesday, Gen. MacArthur said today.

Despite the typhoon which raged around Tokyo Wednesday, destroying property and turning airfields into mud flats, MacArthur will lead his big airborne force to Japan Tuesday, a headquarters spokesman said.

Japanese imperial headquarters complained to General MacArthur today against reported Russian plans to land Soviet airborne troops on Hokkaido, northernmost Nipponese island.

The Japanese said the report came from Moscow and added that if it were true the landing would be greatly "regretted" by the Nipponese officials who were trying to "fulfill your (MacArthur's) requirements by placing army and navy forces and civilians under strict control."

Hopeful Message

The message expressed earnest hope that Allied armed forces would enter Japan according to MacArthur's previously announced plan.

Rains have bogged down Tokyo airfields where airborne troops will spearhead the Allied occupation of Japan, Tokyo told General MacArthur today.

Simultaneously, the Japanese reported Allied occupation would be extended to Southern Japan Sept. 1, the day after signing of surrender documents and reported "fair progress" in ending hostilities in Asia although some Allied forces were making "unwarranted attacks."

Rains swept in by a typhoon disrupted communications and transportation in the Tokyo area, and left the Atsugi airfields sodden with mud Tokyo said. Only medium transports can land on the runways of the airdromes the enemy command warned MacArthur, who has 350 heavy transports lined up for the job.

A flood of messages to MacArthur also reported communications with China were interrupted; Emperor Hirohito has ordered cessation of hostilities along all recent battle lines; peace is being restored in most sectors but the situation is "steadily deteriorating" in Nanking, Shanghai and Hangchow areas of China. Tokyo radio added that ten men in a peace mission were "massacred" on Sdkhain island north of Japan.

Landings on Kyushu island forming the southern tip of Japan will start Sept. 1, an imperial communique said, when airborne troops will take over Kanoya airfield. Stronger forces of "con-siderable size" will follow the next day. Landing by air at Kamoya and by sea and air at Takasu, to the west.

Earlier Tokyo announced a typhoon Wednesday night and Thursday morning damaged communication and transportation facilities near Tokyo, delaying preparations for reception of the "advanced party" of occupation forces. The storm destroyed or damaged 4,407 houses.

The "advanced party" presumably is the Tokyo announced landing Sunday at Atsugi airfield, where General MacArthur will arrive with 7,500 heavily armed soldiers Tuesday. The force accompanying MacArthur, the force brought in 350 transports from Okinawa and Ie Shima. They will be protected by swarms of fighters.

While the Japanese were moving their troops out of preliminary occupation areas, grounding their airforce and disarming their ships, they protested to general MacArthur that Chinese and the Russian forces were still fighting the war.

The imperial command said a submarine, presumably Russian sank four ships around Hokkaido northernmost island of Japan. The purported attacks were Wednesday. On one vessel 553 casualties were reported.

Greater concern was expressed over the situation on the mainland where Tokyo said "disarmed Japanese forces and civilians are being made victims of illegal firing, looting, and acts of violence, rape and other outrages." The imperial command asked MacArthur for permission for Nipponese troops to retain their arms in Manchuria, northern Korea and inner Mongolia until the Japanese residents have been moved out.

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Sunday School Lesson

Modern Esau's Might Better
Bring Their Good Into the
Church. Scriptures: Genesis,
Chapters 32-35.
By William E. Gilroy, D. D.
Sin dogs a sinner's footsteps
and besets his path. He may win
divine favor and the forgiveness
of God; but the human consequen-
ces often remain. They may be
visited in tragic effect upon
his family, or upon his own chil-
dren. They may arise to embar-
rass him years after he may have
wronged another, or been untrue
to himself.

Jacob has had to leave home,
following his disgraceful episode
in stealing the birthright from
his brother Esau. He had escap-
ed to his mother's brother, his
uncle Laban, in the land "of the
people of the east." (Genesis 29)
from which Rebekah had come.
Here he faced the first penalty
for his wrong doing in coming up
against a greedy trickster like
himself — for Laban abused and
deceived him.

But here the best in Jacob came
out again, in his love for Rachel,
for whom he served seven years,
which "seemed to him but a few
days, for the love he had to her."
When Laban tricked him and
gave the older sister, Leah, in-
stead, he served another seven
years for Rachel and six addition-
al years he served, while in the
20 years Laban changed his wa-
ges 10 times.

It was time for Jacob to get
back to his own country. But
two dangers loomed. Would La-
ban let him go, taking to a far-
off country his daughters and his
grandchildren and the flocks with
which Jacob had enriched him-
self? And what of his own coun-
try when he arrived? Would
Esau be waiting there, unforgiv-
ing and vengeful after 20 years?
One need not go into the de-
tails of the story, the escape from

Laban and Laban's pursuit with
his indignant sons, the covenant
between Jacob and Laban at Miz-
pah, and the fear and strategy
as Jacob approached Esau, re-
ported to be coming against him
with 400 men.

What we are concerned with
is Jacob himself, and the spiri-
tual change that had come over
him. He is full of fear and he
is ready to make great gifts by
way of appeasement, and he
plans a wise strategy by which
a part at least of his company
will escape if Esau and his men
refuse his gifts and attack him.

But the outstanding thing is
that the man who was formerly
a selfish-spirited trickster no longer
thinks about himself or his
possessions. His chief concern
is for the women and children
and the high point in his life is
in that scene in which, with the
company gone across the brook,
he wrestles with "a man" until
the break of day, saying: "I will
not let thee go, except thou bless
me."

The scene, for us at least, is
symbolic and it has had a rich
place in the symbolism of re-
ligious experience. But the high
point in the narrative is in the
noble attitude and the forgiving
spirit of Esau. To me he seems
to typify those noble souls who
remain outside of the church,
make no profession of religion,
and yet by the honesty and gra-
ciousness of their lives put many
church members and professing
Christians to shame. Yet let us
not miss the real significance. Ja-
cob, not Esau, was the man of
promise and the hope of the fu-
ture. He had something that the
gentle, tolerant, forgiving Esau
lacked. Think it over, ye modern
Esaus. How much better if you
brought your pleasant moral liv-
ing into the full service of Christ
and the church!

Attend Your Church

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST
SCIENTIST, Sixth street and
Lamine avenue. Sunday school
is held at 9:30 a. m., for persons
under the age of 20. Sunday ser-
vices are at 11:00 a. m.

Subject, "Mind." Golden text,
Daniel 2:20, 21. Blessed be the
name of God for ever and ever:
for wisdom and might are his: . . .
he giveth wisdom unto the wise,
and knowledge to them that know
understanding.

Wednesday evening testimonial
meetings are at 8:00 p. m. The
public is invited to enjoy the
privileges of the reading room lo-
cated in the same building en-
trance on Sixth street. It is open
to the public each afternoon from
2:00 until 4:00, except Sunday
and holidays, also after the Wed-
nesday evening meetings. The
Bible, and writings of Mary Baker
Eddy and all authorized Christian
Science literature may be read at
this room.

ST. PATRICK'S PARISH,
Sprink Fork. Masses at 8 o'clock
on the second and fourth and fifth
Sundays. And at 10 on the first
and third Sunday and on Holy
days. Hours for all masses ad-
vanced one hour during the sum-
mer months.

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST
of Latter Day Saints, 517 South
Lafayette. Sunday school 10:00 a.
m. Missionary meeting 6:15 p. m.
Sacrament and preaching 7:30 p.
m. K. R. Rowlette, president.

**CUMBERLAND PRESBYTER-
IAN CHURCH**, Seventeenth and
Harrison. Rev. E. S. Brummett,
pastor. Sunday school 10:00 a.
m. Morning service 11:00 a. m.
C. E. 7:00 p. m. Evening service
8:00 p. m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST, 412½
South Ohio. Song service 10 a. m.
Bible study 10:20 a. m. Commu-
nion 11:40 a. m.

SACRED HEART Third street
and Montevue. Rev. Father
A. J. Brunswick, C. P. S., pas-
tor. Sunday masses, 6:00, 8:00,
9:15 and 10:30 a. m. Week-day
masses 8:15 and 7:30 a. m. Eve-
ning services Friday, 7:30 p. m.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF
GOD, Sixth and Emmett streets.
Rev. C. H. Martin, pastor. Tuesday
night cottage prayer meeting.
Friday night services at the
church 8:00 Sunday school 9:45
a. m. E. W. Schultz, superinten-
dent. P. Y. P. A. and junior ser-
vice 7:00 p. m. Evangelistic service
at 8:00 p. m.

ST. PATRICK Sunday masses,
6:00, 7:30 and 9:00 a. m. Week
day mass 8:00 a. m. Novena ser-
vices 7:30 o'clock every Tuesday
night. Rev. J. A. Biter, pastor.

HOLINESS, 233 East Boonville
street. Sunday school each Sun-
day 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m.
Young people's service 7 p. m.
Preaching 8 p. m. Prayer meeting
Thursday evening 8 p. m. Mrs.
Bessie Palmer, pastor.

FIFTH STREET METHODIST,
Fifth and Osage. H. U. Camp-
bell, D. D., minister; Mrs. Mae
Moser, organist; Mrs. George R.
Lovercamp, director of music.
Church school 9:30 a. m. Ben Rob-
inson superintendent. Monthly
missionary Sunday with Wesley
Fellowship class in charge of the
Adult devotionals. Morning wor-
ship 10:30. Sermon, "O Thou, Who
Changest Not." Special music by
the choir. Sunday evening union
service 8 o'clock in the First
Methodist church, with the Rev.
J. F. King, preaching.

EAST SEDALIA BAPTIST,
1019 East Fifth. Rev. Hallie Rice,
pastor. Sunday school at 9:30.
Elmo Lingle, superintendent.

Preaching service at 10:30. Ser-
mon topic, "Faith Defined." B. T.
U. at 6:45. Mrs. Earl Pursley, di-
rector. Preaching service at 8:00.
Sermon topic, "When They Had
Prayed." There will be a dedica-
tion service of the new Honor
Roll for the service men and wo-
men of the church. Monday and
Tuesday the annual meeting of
the County Line Baptist church.

Monday evening at 6:45 the Sun-
day school cabinet meeting. Tues-
day evening at 8:00 the B. T. U.
business and program planning
meeting. Wednesday evening at
7:00 the young people's choir
practice and at 8:00 the mid-week
prayer service.

CALVARY BAPTIST, Broad-
way and Montevue. Rev. Orville
Wooley will preach during both
worship services on the Lord's
Day, 10:45 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.
Bible school 9:30 a. m. B. T. U.
6:45 p. m. Messengers will attend
the Harmony Association meeting
with the County Line church
Monday and Tuesday. B. T. U.
Officers' Council Monday evening
8:00 with the executive committee
meeting 7:45. Prayer meeting
Wednesday evening 8:00. B. B.
Bradley, leader.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST,
corner of Eleventh and Lafayette
streets. Services on Saturday.
Sabbath school 9:45 a. m. Bible
study 11:00 a. m. Young people's
meeting 2:30 p. m. Prayer meet-
ing at 8:00 on Wednesday night.

FIRST BAPTIST, Sixth and
Lamine. Thomas W. Croxton,
pastor. Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
W. L. Reed, superintendent. De-
partments and classes for all ages.
Morning worship service 10:35.
Music by the adult choir with
ROSE LAWN PENTECOSTAL, Mrs. Clyde Williams in charge. Twenty-fourth and Ohio streets.

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Preaching by the pastor on the
subject, "The Mission of Restora-
tion." Nursery in charge of Mrs.
Gordon Strain, open to all chil-
dren through six years of age.
Mothers are welcome to leave
their children during preaching
services. Training Union 6:45 p.
m. Richard Duham, director.
Evening worship service 8:00 p.
m. Aubrey Case leading the sing-
ing. Preaching by the pastor on
the subject, "The Greatest Ques-
tion."

RE-ORGANIZED CHURCH OF
JESUS CHRIST of Latter Day
Saints, located at Ninth and Mont-
gomery. A. A. Weaver, pastor.
Church school at 9:45 and a mes-
sage from Nelson O. Gard of War-
rensburg at 11:00. There will be
no evening services. Prayer and
testimony service each Wednes-
day evening at 8:00.

BROADWAY PRESBYTERIAN,
Broadway at Kentucky avenue.
Herman M. Janssen, pastor.
Church school 9:45 a. m. Clyde
Heynen, superintendent. Service
of worship 10:45 a. m. The guest
minister will be the Rev. Jonas
W. Boyer, Ph. D., Eldorado, Kas.
Nursery in the service building
during the worship hour.

**CONGREGATIONAL - PRES-
BYTERIAN**, Sixth and Osage
avenue. Robert C. Williamson, D.
D., minister; Mrs. W. C. Housel,
superintendent of Sunday school;
A. M. Hoffman, assistant superin-
tendent; Miss Mabel deWitt, or-
ganist and director of music. Sun-
day school 9:30 a. m. No morning
worship service this Sunday.
Regular 10:30 morning worship
services resumed next Sunday,
September 2nd.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF
GOD, Sixth and Emmett streets.
Rev. C. H. Martin, pastor. Ser-
vices Friday evening 8 p. m. Tues-
day evening business meeting at
the church. Sunday school 9:45
a. m. E. W. Schultz, superinten-
dent. Evangelistic service Sunday
evening 8 p. m. Subject by pastor,
"What Will Your Answer Be?"

CHURCH OF CHRIST, Four-
teenth street and Steward avenue.
Bible study 10:30 a. m. Lesson St.
John 7th chapter. Communion.

FIRST CHRISTIAN, Seventh
and Massachusetts. Rev. Dewey
I. Meranda, minister. Bible school
at 9:30. Lawrence Brown, superin-
tendent. Morning worship and
communion at 10:45. Sermon by
the pastor. Miss Mary Frances
McCurdy will be the soloist.

CHURCH OF THE OPEN
BIBLE, 701 East Fifth street. Rev.
and Mrs. A. M. Crawley, pastors.
Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning
worship 11:00. Overcomers 6:45
p. m. Evening evangelistic service
8:00 p. m. The pastor will speak
on the subject, "Solving the
World's Greatest Question." Tues-
day 8:00 p. m. prayer and praise
service. Friday 8:00 p. m. evan-
gelistic service. Prayer meeting
Tuesday and Thursday morning
at 10:00.

GOSPEL TABERNACLE, Twenty-fourth and Ohio streets.

Rev. Ervin Kelley, pastor; Viola
Kelley, Sunday school superin-
tendent; Agnes Chapman, junior
department superintendent. Sun-
day school starts 9:45 a. m. Classes
for all ages. Spirit filled teachers.
Preaching 11:00 a. m. Message by
the pastor. P. Y. P. A.'s meet at
7:00 p. m. A delegate will be
chosen to attend the annual con-
vention in Webb City, Mo. Mary
Holman will give the lesson. The
president in charge. Sunday eve-
ning an evangelistic service with
choir and orchestra participating.
Message by pastor. Regular ser-
vices on Wednesday and Friday
nights at 8:00 p. m. At the Friday
service the church delegate will
be elected. Choir practice Sat-
urday at 8:00 p. m.

EPWORTH METHODIST,
Broadway at Engineer street.
Ralph Hurd, minister. Church
school at 9:30. E. W. Shelby, gen-
eral superintendent. Morning
worship at 10:30, and evening
worship at 8 o'clock. At each of
these services the minister will be
the speaker. June Collins is the
president of the Youth Fellow-
ship, which meets at 7:00 o'clock.

FIRST METHODIST, Fourth
and Osage. J. F. King, pastor.
Sunday school 9:30 a. m. O. E.
Palmer, superintendent. Morning
Worship 10:30. Sermon subject,
"The Phoebe of the Long Road."
Junior League 7:00 p. m. in the
Chapel. Evening worship 8:00 p.
m. Union services of the Fifth
Street Methodist church and this
church. This is the last of the
union services for this summer.

IMMANUEL EVANGELICAL
AND REFORMED, Fourth street
and Vermont avenue. William C.
Bessmer, pastor; Mrs. J. U. Morris,
director of music; Miss Lillian
Fox, organist; William F.
Schwenk, superintendent church
school. Sunday, August 26;
Church school 9:30 a. m. Worship
10:35 a. m. Sermon topic, "What
We Can Do Now."

ST. JOHN'S EVANGELICAL
AND REFORMED, Florence.
Worship service will be con-
ducted by Rev. William C. Bessmer,
Sunday, August 26, at 2:30 p. m.

CHURCHES
ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN, Mis-
souri Synod, Broadway and Mass-
achusetts avenue. Herman H.
Heidbreder, pastor. Sunday school
at 9:15 a. m. Adult Bible class
at 9:30 a. m. Divine service with
celebration of Holy Communion
at 10:30 a. m. Theme of sermon,
"Is the Law Against the Promises
of God?"

**EAST BROADWAY CHRIS-
TIAN**, 1220 East Broadway. Rev.
J. W. Watts, pastor; Miss Nellie
White, director of church; W. H.
Swift, superintendent of Bible
school. Bible school at 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship and Communion
at 10:45. Special music. The ser-
mon topic will be, "The Dimen-
sions of the Christian Life." Eve-
ning worship service at 8 o'clock.
Christian Youth Fellowship at 7
o'clock.

CALVARY EPISCOPAL, Broad-
way and Ohio. August 26, 1915.
Sunday after Trinity. Morning

Christian Energy

The discovery of atomic energy almost on the
eve of peace was hailed by scientists as marking
the dawn of a new and revolutionary age. But
moralists tempered rejoicing with warnings
against abuse of God's new gift to man. The world
saw a dazzling vista of advancement but it also
saw the dark and terrible alternative of self-de-
struction.

Such an alternative would mean the ulti-
mate triumph of the spirit of evil. The Chris-
tian is well aware of the enormous potency of evil;
but he is equally cognizant of the superior might
of good. When other men talk of a new miraculous
discovery being harnessed to destroy the earth it-
self, his mind converts the warning into a chal-
enge. He knows that countless millions like him-
self must be reckoned with whenever such a cat-
aclysm is envisioned.

There will be no danger of men plunging
into a final nightmare of diabolic self-annihila-
tion so long as the Christian spirit survives. When
such an indescribable horror is pictured to his
imagination, the Christian, rather than letting dis-
may numb his mind, merely resolves to make his
voice more loudly heard and his influence more
deeply felt in the councils of the nations.

The atomic age can also be an age of great-
er Christian affirmation and action. A great
Christian energy is already being unleashed to
convert the ruins of war into a finer and greater
world of peace. This is the energy that will as-
suredly prevent science from becoming an enemy
rather than an ally in plans for the new world in
process of creation.

Go To Church This Sunday

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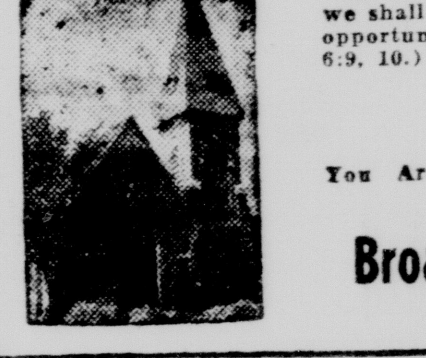
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I—Announcements

3—In Memoriam
IN LOVING MEMORY of my son, John Stansbery Jr., who lost his life August 24, 1942 U. S. Navy.
Nothing but memories as I journey on,
Longing for a smile from a loved one gone.
Whatever else I fail to do, I'll never fail to think of you.
Sadly missed by mother, Mrs. John B. O'Brien.

7—Personals
WATKINS DEALER: Powell Cain, Store 312 West 16th, Phone 1011.

10—Strayed, Lost, Found

LOST: Yellow coat jacket, in Home Economic building, State Fair Grounds. Call 570 Mr. Baker. Reward.

LOST: Puppy, female, 3½ months old. Part police and part shepherd, brown with white collar and feet. Reward. Pic. Clark, 1211 South Lamine.

LOST: 620 Brownie camera at Crown Drug store or 3rd National Bank, Wednesday morning. Belongs to a serviceman. Reward. Phone 3992.

LOST BUNCH KEYS, about 12, on leather thong. Phone 3470-W.

LOST: Boy's brown slipper for right foot. Reward. Phone 3667.

LOST: Brown billfold. Finder keep money. Return billfold to Robert Shirley, Sedalia Democrat Company.

II—Automotive

11—Automobiles for Sale

1936 BUICK COACH, \$350. Within O. P. A. ceiling. Phone 2726.

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1933 DODGE SEDAN, good, \$200. Under ceiling. 1809 South Osage.

GOOD 1936 BUICK SEDAN \$475.00. Within O. P. A. ceiling. Call 3433.

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11-A—House Trainers for Sale

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12—Auto Trucks for Sale

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15—Motorcycles and Bicycles

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17—Wanted—Automotive

WANTED USED CARS: G. R. Janssen Motors, office 218 South Osage. Lot 532-44 East 3rd Street. Phone 517.

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18—Business Service Offered

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24—Laundry

WANTED WASHINGS and ironings. 1314 East 9th Street.

25—Moving, Trucking, Storage

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IV—Employment

33—Help Wanted—Male

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33A—Salesmen Wanted

SALESMAN WANTED: Make up to \$150.00 per week. Pettis and adjoining counties. Salesman in Sedalia this week. Address Post Office Box 67, Sedalia, Missouri.

34—Help—Male and Female

WANTED KITCHEN HELP: Experience preferred. Lowry Cafe, 112 East 5th.

35—Business Opportunities

RESTAURANT: Good business. Beer license. Write Box "4" care Democrat.

V—Financial

40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

VIII—Merchandise

51—Articles for Sale

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GLASS HEADQUARTERS: Window glass, mirrors, glass shelves, glass for dressers, coffee tables, show cases, store fronts. Dugans, Phone 142.

ELECTRIC refrigerator unit, one horse motor commercial, in good shape. Check protector. Phone 3410.

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Merry-Go-Round

by Drew Pearson
(Editor's Note — Drew Pearson is on vacation. Ellis Arnall, the famous governor of Georgia who recently led the fight abolishing the poll tax, contributes today's column as Pearson's guest writer.)

By Ellis Arnall
Governor, State of Georgia
ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 24—The reconversion period will place exceptional strains upon state governments. It will test the efficiency and foresight with which state agencies have prepared for peace. It will determine whether political decentralization, which is almost as essential to domestic security as economic decentralization, is to be retained or abandoned.

The magnitude of the problems facing the federal government will be increased enormously unless state agencies are alert and effective. In the next three or

four years there will be the eventual test of whether 'states rights' mean anything at all except a phrase to be tossed out by the stump speakers. Unless 'states rights' are coupled with the assumption of responsibilities, they will be about as useful as an arquebus in this day of atomic bombs.

During the past four years, public services have been limited to minimum needs for education, public health and public assistance. The physical plants of all units of government highways, public buildings, sanitary facilities, hospitals are in poor condition throughout the nation.

This presents a challenge to state governments to meet needs within their spheres promptly. If they do not do so, they will create a vacuum into which the federal government must inevitably move in response to urgent public demand. Decentralization is not an excuse for a static inaction. It will not be accepted as an excuse by the people of the various states. The public has strong objections to centralization, but it has an even stronger antipathy for slothful neglect of vital services.

Georgia's R. R. Battle
There has been determined propaganda in America for 30 years to the effect that state govern-

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Town Talk

AMONG GUESTS AT A Dinner IN A Sedalia Home RECENTLY WAS A Two YEAR OLD CHILD EVIDENTLY AN ADULT DIDN'T WANT HIM TO KNOW WHEN HE WANTED A PIECE OF PIE BECAUSE INSTEAD OF JUST ASKING FOR A PIECE OF PIE HE SPELLED OUT THE WORD P-I-E AND THE REST OF THE FOLKS SITTING AT THE TABLE WERE GIVEN A SURPRISE WHEN THE CHILD LOOKED UP AT HIM AND SAID "THAT'S SILLY IT DON'T MEAN ANYTHING" I THANK YOU

THROUGH JAPANESE EYES

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THE TIDES OF WAR

X

PERHAPS no war in history has ever started with greater misconceptions on both sides about the nature and strength of the enemy than the war in the Pacific. But no war in history has ever seen greater changes in the balance of power, and in strategy and tactics. These changes clinched victory for the United Nations and seal the doom of Japan.

Just before the war, Japan was still regarded in the West as a second-class Oriental power which had already exhausted herself in four years of fruitless war in China.

The picture collapsed completely when the war began. Japan proved herself to be a powerful and well-prepared enemy to whom the Chinese war had been an excellent training period. The Japanese Navy and Air Force dominated the western Pacific. The very anxiety of the Allies to avoid war as long as possible by leaving the initiative to Japan contributed to this result. But the net effect was a sweep of Japanese power through Asia and Oceania unparalleled since the days of Genghis Khan.

Today Japanese air and naval power is being swept from the Pacific and the stage is being laid for Japan's final defeat.

Military Power Still Intact

Yet the major part of that job still remains to be done. For that job cannot be completed until Japan's military power has been crushed as well. That power has been scarcely touched so far, and, to paraphrase a Japanese spokesman, the historic destiny which approaches us is to fight across China, Manchuria, and Korea to the Tushima Straits, and then to launch across them an amphibious invasion of Japan surpassing in strength even the invasion of Normandy.

Reports from the Tennessee Valley Authority, the president's committee, the southeastern regional planning board and scores of other agencies disclosed the acute need for smashing the transportation cartel. That industrialization, to balance agriculture, was a prime need for the southern and western states was strikingly obvious. That delay until the termination of the war, permitting the junking of every newly developed industrial facility in these sections, would be suicidal was clearly apparent.

So Georgia sued in the United States supreme court, seeking to break up the intricate unofficial bureaucracy that was imposing outrageous transportation rates on the section.

It could not be done, it was insisted. The supreme court would never entertain such an action. Georgia would be the laughing stock of the country. The preliminary opinion of the supreme court accepting jurisdiction in the case is one of the most far reaching decisions ever handed down by that tribunal, gave Georgia the last laugh.

Lazy State Governments

This illustrates the fact that state governments are not ineffective instruments of the public—if they are put to use. They possess enormous powers. They can protect the interests of their citizens, if they set out to do so. Laziness has been their curse, and the American public does not like lazy government.

State governments can exercise



Yank Landing on Iwo Jima
"We must do well to consider the possibility of the enemy landing on our home soil."—Premier Koiso, September, 1944.

at 6:20 a. m., on Dec. 7, a suspicious object was sighted in the prohibited area of Pearl Harbor by the United States armed services. Between 6:32 and 6:45 a. m. this object, which was a small submarine, was attacked and sunk by the concerted action of a naval patrol plane and a United States ship of war. Such facts, presented in an official United States document, cannot leave the slightest doubt as to who fired the first shot."—Tokyo Radio, Dec. 5, 1942.

"Nothing could be more ridiculous and laughable than the fact that the American Fleet was ignorant of the Nippon Navy's training maneuvers in the Pacific, that it neglected the important duty of naval and air patrol when the Nippon-American relations were in so high a state of tension, and that it was thereby forced to accept the tragic annihilation of its Pacific armada. This disgrace sustained by the United States Navy will for long be remembered by the world."—The New Order in Greater East Asia (Japanese magazine), April, 1942.

Jap Comment on Doolittle Raid

"Invading planes dropped incendiary bombs and started fires in several places, but fire fighters made short work of extinguishing them. In aerial dog fights, enemy planes were shot down. This was the first air raid in the history of Tokyo. The raid was wholly unethical and illegal. It must be also mentioned with awe that the whole Imperial family are quite safe."—Japan Times and Advertiser, April 19, 1942.

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a wholesale influence in safeguarding against monopolies, in encouraging decentralization of industry, and in protecting the natural resources of America from exploitation.

As this country endeavors to organize for reconversion, it is becoming evident that two bad tangles in our domestic affairs must be straightened. Prosperity must be better distributed through decentralization of industry. Cartels and monopolies must be eliminated, unless we are ready to send free enterprise to the junkpile for good.

The various documents of the special senate committee investigating centralization of heavy industry (McCarran committee) are impressive evidence that the cycles of inflation and boom, deflation and depression, cannot be broken until every section of the United States is enabled to utilize its full potential of human and natural resources.

Only the striking of a balance between the production of raw materials and their manufacture can enable any section to maintain a permanent and balanced prosperity. The wastes inherent in prodigious transportation of raw materials half way across a continent to be processed would have demolished an economy more ma-

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World Champions Here Sunday

Left to right above, Floyd "Crash" Cook, World's Champion stunt man Jimmie James and Clint Cook, a speedy trio of automobile daredevils who will show their wares at the Missouri State Fair at Sedalia Sunday.

August 26, along with other stars in the big congress of daredevils with the All-American Thrill Drivers thrill show.

Center shows "Crash" Cook, who really specializes in rolling racing cars end-for-end, plunging a car through a blazing barrier.

ture and static than that of America; but it has inflicted a tremendous and ever-mounting toll upon producers and consumers.

Monopoly vs. Democracy

Monopolies have no place within a democracy, they are the implements of the ideologies that have just cost America a million casualties and three hundred billion dollars of national wealth to suppress. No program of decentralization of industry, with the wisdom of a uniformly prosperous nation, can be realized unless conspiracies in restraint of trade are ruthlessly suppressed. Full employment will be just another ringing phrase to go along with states rights if the cartel-makers are allowed free rein during the reconversion era.

In combatting centralization and monopoly, the states have a part to play. They can do much to insure that the highly efficient industrial establishments created in the southern and western states to meet war needs, are continued in operation. They can act effectively to see that they are not permitted to fall into the hands of interests that plan to junk them to remove their pro-

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SOCIETY

A happy community event, which also promoted a complete family reunion, was the golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Knipp, Sr., held Monday at their home northwest of Tipton.

Opening the day's activities was a Mass of Thanksgiving read by the Rev. Fr. H. J. Breit, pastor of the Tipton Catholic church, of which Mr. and Mrs. Knipp have been life-long communicants, and where their wedding service was read 50 years ago. Mrs. Knipp is the former Miss Lena Dick.

Fifty-nine persons were seated for the family dinner, including

the eight sons, two daughters and 32 grandchildren.

A large number of friends and relatives, some from out of town, attended the afternoon informal reception. The honorees were showered with cards, messages and gifts.

The home was decorated in gold and white with beautiful floral arrangements throughout.

The dining table, where punch and wafers were served, was centered with a large wedding cake bearing a golden wedding insignia.

Mr. and Mrs. Knipp's children, all of whom attended, are the following: Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Knipp, Jr. and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Knipp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knipp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Knipp and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Knipp and family, Sgt. Ed Knipp, on furlough after service in Europe, and Mr. and Mrs. Urban Bestgen and family, all of Tipton, and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Clarke of El Cerrito, Calif.

Mr. Knipp is 75 years old and Mrs. Knipp 73.

Mrs. B. M. Hafner of Hannibal was honor guest of her daughter, Mrs. Fred B. Hulse, 720 West Broadway, at the Game Day luncheon Tuesday at the Heard Memorial clubhouse.

Other guests of Mrs. Hulse were Mrs. W. B. Hert, Mrs. Ray Hunt, Mrs. A. H. Wilks and her daughter, Mrs. S. E. Boyle of Chicago, Mrs. Frank Monroe, Mrs. D. P. Dyer, Mrs. N. E. Randall and Mrs. J. E. Mitchell.

Bridge was played during the afternoon at the Hulse home.

Guests In Knob Noster

Ensign Bob Carr, accompanied by Ensign W. R. Ohland, P. T. Fagan, T. K. Kavanaugh and K. E. Paisant, all stationed at the naval air training station at Hutchinson, Kas., spent Thursday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carr, in Knob Noster.

Entries Of R. L. Gray Win at Horse Show

Take Two Stake Events Before A Great Crowd

Entries of R. L. Gray, Kansas City, were the winners of the two stake classes at the Missouri State Fair horse show, Thursday night.

My Winning Ways Genius, won the three-gaited \$300 stake while the \$300 five-gaited junior stake was won by Garastanna Princess.

The attendance at the show was the largest of the five nights which have been shown and the attendance broke a night show record over a period of more than fifteen years.

Results:
Fine Harness, Ladies to drive: Claire Genius, owned by R. L. Gray, Kansas City, first; Lady Pence, owned by George Roberts and son, Clinton, second. Judged by Harry Linn, Des Moines, Ia.

Walking horses, stallion, Missouri owned: Hay Jack Wilson, owned by Rex P. Kreider, Springfield, first; Allen Bell Star, Knill Kisse, Sparta, second; The Limit Allen, L. Ray Hedgpeh, Nixa, third; Easter Gold, Elmer Hicks, Bolivar, fourth. Judged by Harry Linn.

Three-gaited horses, seat and hands class ridden by boy or girl under 16 years: Lil Abner, Karl Schmidt, Springfield, Mo., first; Arletha Wanita, Bob Simcox, Blue Springs Mo. second. Judged by John Hook, Mexico, Mo.

Five - gaited combination: Lady Pence, Dr. H. O. Pence, Kansas City, first; Chief of Star Lane, E. C. Rhoden, Kansas City, Second; Chief of Westport, Jay Jones, Nevada, third. Judged by John Hook.

Three-gaited, \$300 Stake, for saddle horse driver 14-2: My Winning Ways Genius, R. L. Gray, Kansas City, first; Kansas City Star, R. L. Gray, second; Lombardy Lady, Mrs. R. L. Wheelock, Corsicana, Tex., third; Lil Abner, Karl Schmidt, Springfield, Mo., third; Arletha Wanita, Bob Simcox, Blue Springs, fifth. Judged by Don Kays, Columbus, Ohio, ohn Hook, and Harry Linn.

Five gaited Junior Stake, \$300: Garastanna Princess, R. L. Gray, Kansas City, first; Fair Acres Admiral, Mrs. R. L. Wheelock, Corsicana, Tex., second; Jewell Stonewall, S. W. Steven, Hughesville, Mo., third; Sue Stephens, Temple Stephens, Moberly, Mo., fourth; McDonald Royal Rex, Karl Schmidt, Springfield, fifth; Tiny Peavine, Jay Jones, Nevada, Mo., sixth. Judged by Don Kays, Harry Linn and John Hook.

Palomino Stock Horse class: Gold Chief, B. F. Kelso, Kansas City, first; Famous Ray, J. A. Bowen, Ft. Scott, Kansas, second; Don Hirpate, B. F. Kelso, Kansas City, third; Trigger, Pendleton Hieronymus, fourth. Judged by Harry Linn.

Friday night will be the final night for the 1945 Missouri State Fair horse show.

Chiang Kai-shek Ratifies Charter

CHUNGKING, Aug. 24.—(P)—In a brief, simple ceremony today, Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, using an ordinary Chinese brush, signed the document attesting China's ratification of the United Nations Charter.

The great jade seal of the republic previously had been affixed to the document which Chiang signed in the presence of a few high officers of state and an assembly of Chinese and foreign newsmen.

Salvation Army Officers Promoted

Captain and Mrs. A. R. Rush have recently been promoted to the ranks of Adjutants in The Salvation Army. The promotion was recommended by Brigadier A. E. Ramsdale, Divisional Commander of Missouri, and passed upon by the Salvation Army staff in Chicago, headquarters for the eleven Central States.

Sports Mirror

By the Associated Press
TODAY A YEAR AGO — The St. Louis Cardinals won their 13th straight by beating the Cubs, 2-1.

THREE YEARS AGO — Under Haegg set a world record of 5:11.2 in a 2,000-meter race at Stockholm.

FIVE YEARS AGO — A crowd of 70,964 at the Yankee Stadium saw the Yankees beat Bob Feller of Cleveland 3 to 2 after Feller had pitched hitless ball for 7 1-3 innings.

TEN YEARS AGO — Helen Jacobs and Sarah Palfrey Fabyan retained the U. S. women's tennis double title by beating Dorothy Andrews and Carolin Babcock, 6-4, 6-2.

Record Crowd Attends Races

Yoder's Best Guy And Clara Bell Win Chief Events

The Jefferson City Chamber of Commerce trophy for the Conditioned trot was won by Yoder's Best Guy owned and driven by Frank Vennom, Wichita, Kansas, while the John W. Ellis, Commissioner of Agriculture, trophy was won by Clara Belle, owned and driven by Earl Lugenbeel, Hiawatha, Kansas, for a second Conditioned Pace race.

Yoder's Best Guy placed first in two heats and third in another, while in the second race Clara Belle won all three heats of the race.

Another record crowd jammed the grandstand to witness the three events on the racing card.

Results:	First Race	Second Race	Third Race
Conditioned Trot	Yoder's Best Guy, Frank Vennom, 1-2-3	Clara Bell, Earl Lugenbeel, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3
Yoder's Best Guy, Frank Vennom, 1-2-3	Clara Bell, Earl Lugenbeel, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3	
Willard's Easter Worth, V. E. 1-2-3	Clara Bell, Earl Lugenbeel, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3	
Douglas, David City, Neb., 1-2-3	Clara Bell, Earl Lugenbeel, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3	
Gale Meadows, Joe Woltz, 1-2-3	Clara Bell, Earl Lugenbeel, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3	
Weston, Neb., 1-2-3	Clara Bell, Earl Lugenbeel, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3	
Ed Jay, Best Machurek, 1-2-3	Clara Bell, Earl Lugenbeel, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3	
David City, Neb., 1-2-3	Clara Bell, Earl Lugenbeel, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3	
Time 2:19-2:12-2:14	Clara Bell, Earl Lugenbeel, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3	
Conditioned Pace	Clara Bell, Earl Lugenbeel, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3	
Clara Bell, Earl Lugenbeel, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3		
Hiawatha, Kansas, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3		
Billy Jr., C. H. Bell, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3		
Kahoka, Mo., 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3		
Vernon Abbey, Frank Lenski, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3		
Wichita, Kansas, 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3		
Marble Pate, Dr. H. A. 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3		
Hartfield and son, Wichita, Kas. 1-2-3	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3		
Time 2:14-2:14-2:13	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3		
Third Race	Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3		
Miss Cate Jay, Torney, 1-2-3			
Jenkins, Tina, Mo., 1-2-3			
Prozela, Mond and 1-2-3			
Eckenberger, Mexico, Mo. 1-2-3			
Smith Henley, Torney, 1-2-3			
Jenkins, Tina, Mo., 1-2-3			
Rick Dodge, Harold Medill, 1-2-3			
Independence, Kansas, 1-2-3			
Time 2:12-2:09 1/2-2:12			
Friday's program consists of four races, the feature races being the "Missouri Press Purse" 2:24 Pace and the "Ernest W. Baker Class" 2:12 Pace.			

Looking Backward Forty Years Ago

Yesterday was sure enough "Big Thursday" with Editor Geo. H. Scruton of the Sentinel as the stork left a fine baby boy at his home and, in consequence, the paper went to press at noon instead of 4 p. m.

"Big Thursday" at the state fair was a record breaker in every sense of the word. The exhibition was in the perfection of display in the several departments. The racing events were the fastest and best of the week. And the attendance was not only the largest of the week but the largest in the history of the Missouri State Fair. It is officially announced that there were over 25,000 paid admissions during the day, the exact figures not being obtainable until the complete returns from the ticket sellers and the records of the turnstiles are verified by John W. Hill, superintendent of gates and John R. Rippey, secretary of the fair.

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and a load of good to choice steers on Wednesday's St. Louis market, the 30 head averaging 1,523 pounds and selling at \$5.65, the top price paid on the day's market.

The Missouri Pacific excursion trains from Warsaw, Lexington, Jefferson City and Pleasant Hill brought 952 passengers to the state fair today (Friday), while the Katy brought 1200 from Moberly and Nevada.

Sheep Awards

Hampshire Sheep Show

All exhibitors in the 1945 Hampshire sheep show at the State Fair were from Missouri, and competition was good, with a number of newcomers. J. W. Hampton, Champaign, Ill., judge of the exhibit, said the Hampshire show was particularly outstanding. Awards were the same in both open and Missouri classes as follows:

Aged Ram—1st and 2nd, J. R. Poague, Lincoln; 3rd, Snell 520, J. Melvin Snell, Shelbyville; 4th, E. W. 8, Elijah and Dowdy, Green Ridge.

Ram, 1 year and under 2—1st, Armentraut 35, Charles Armentraut, Norborne; 2nd, J. R. Poague; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cox, Fayette; 4th, Snell 680; 5th, Armentraut 36; 6th, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cox; 7th, Snell 669; 8th, Elijah and Dowdy 4409; 9th, J. R. Poague; 10th, Wilbur Preston, Princeton; 11th, Elijah and Dowdy.

Ram Lamb, under 1 year—1st, J. R. Poague; 2nd, Ben Royal Vandiver, V. G. Vandiver and Son, Leonard; 3rd, Jumbo, Delmar Clark, Bunceon; 4th, Chester Champ Vandiver; 5th, Armentraut 63; 6th, D. C. 825, Delmar Clark; 7th, J. R. Poague; 8th, Armentraut 62; 9th, Snell 726; 10th, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cox; 11th, Snell 736T; 12th, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cox.

Ewe, 1 year and under 2—1st, First Lady B and D, V. B. Vandiver and Son; 2nd, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cox; 3rd, B and D 186-42, V. Vandiver and Son; 4th, Snell 714; 5th Armentraut 40; 6th, WP-112, Donald Perkins, New Franklin; 7th and 8th, J. R. Poague; 9th, Snell 714; 10th, Armentraut 38; 11th, Elijah and Dowdy 4405; 12th, Elijah and Dowdy 4402.

Ewe Lamb, under 1 year—1st, Vandiver 7-45; 2nd and 3rd, J. R. Poague; 4th, Vandiver 26-45; 5th, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cox; 6th, Armentraut; 7th, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cox; 8th, Queen III, Delmar Clark; 9th, Queen Valleys Queen, Delmar Clark; 10th, W. P. 130, Don Perkins; 11th, Armentraut 53.

Ram, 2 yearling ewes, 2 ewe lambs—1st, V. B. Vandiver and Son; 2nd, J. R. Poague; 3rd, Charles Armentraut; 4th, J. Melvin Snell.

Four Lambs, owned by exhibitor—1st, J. R. Poague; 2nd, V. B. Vandiver; 3rd, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cox; 4th, Delmar Clark; 5th,

Charles Armentraut; 6th, J. Melvin Snell.

Champion Ram—J. R. Poague (aged ram).

Champion Ewe—V. B. Vandiver and Son (1 year and under 2). American Hampshire Sheep Association special award—1st, V. B. Vandiver; 2nd, J. R. Poague; 3rd, Charles Armentraut; 4th, J. M. Snell and Son.

Oxford Sheep Show

Oxford quality was excellent in the 1945 State Fair Sheep show Tuesday, according to J. W. Hampton, Champaign, Ill., judge of the show. Clyde Ellis, Mexico, superintendent and W. L. Barrett, Booneville, assistant, were pleased with the interest in the contest.

Here are the winning animals and their owners:

Aged Ram—1st, Reid 180, C. E. Burruss, Jamestown; 2nd, Chapelle 262, C. E. Burruss; 3rd, Burruss Lad, Joe Bill Reid, Houstonia. Ram, 1 year and under 2—1st, Pullin 195, C. E. Burruss; 2nd, J. B. Reid 195, C. E. Burruss; 3rd, Burruss 745, C. E. Burruss; 4th, Burruss Lad 754, Joe Bill Reid; 5th, Sunny Hills 108, Sunny Hill Farm Co., Gray Summit; 6th, Sunny Hill 117.

Ewe, 1 year and under 2—1st, J. B. Reid 224; 2nd, Burrus 740; 3rd, J. B. Reid 203; 4th, Burrus 739; 5th, Sunny Hills A 104; 6th, Sunny Hills 99.

Ewe Lamb, under 1 year—1st, Burrus 763; 2nd, J. B. Reid 228; 3rd, J. B. Reid 236; 4th, Burrus 761; 5th, Sunny Hills 139; 6th, Sunny Hills 137.

Four Lambs, either sex, lambd and owned by exhibitor—1st, C. E. Burrus; 2nd, Joe Bill Reid; 3rd, Sunny Hills Farm Co.

Champion Ram—Reid 180, C. E. Burrus. Champion Ewe—J. B. Reid 224, Joe Bill Reid. American Oxford Down Association special award for best pen of four lambs of either sex—

1st, Joe Bill Reid; 2nd, C. E. Burrus; 3rd, Sunny Hills Farm Co.

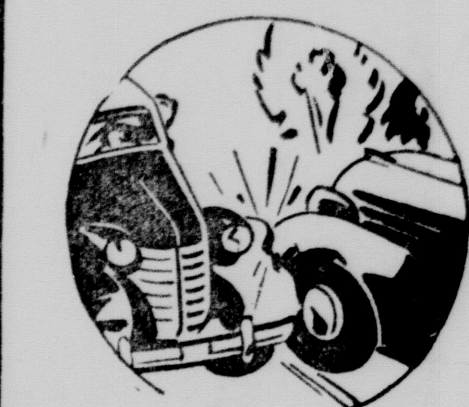
Births ---

A daughter weighing seven pounds and twelve and one-half ounces was born to Cpl. and Mrs. J. W. Drake, Route 5, Sedalia, at 2:28 p. m. Thursday.

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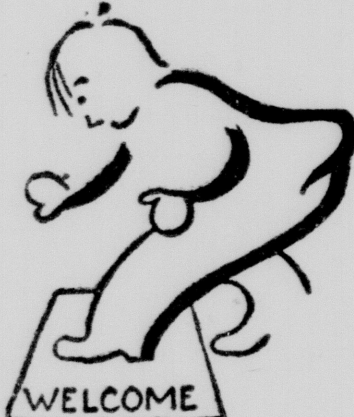


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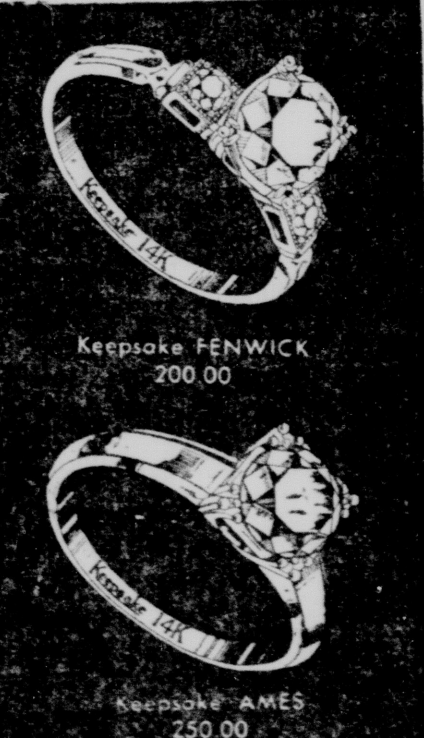


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Attendance At Fair Thursday Is Larger Than Previous Days

Business Houses Close And Pettis Countians And Sedalians Attend

Thursday's attendance at the Missouri State Fair was the largest of any of the four previous days, that was up until 5 o'clock, with the fair visitors totals after that time not being tabulated. "The five o'clock crowd had already passed the entire 1942 attendance for Thursday by 12,000 persons.

Paid attendance up to the mentioned hour was 20,530 persons, 1,240 season passes, 2,000 service men and women in uniform, and 4,500 children under ten years a total of 28,270 persons. The total attendance for a corresponding day in 1942 was 16,112. The official day attendance will not be made known until the close of the day and a complete check is made this morning.

Thursday was Sedalia and Pettis County, and the Missouri Chamber of Commerce Day at the fair. Business houses in Sedalia closed in the afternoon to give employees an opportunity to attend the fair as did the court house and the city hall which were closed all day. Sedalians and Pettis countians took opportunity of their holiday to go to the fair.

A record crowd was experienced Wednesday there being 20,794 daily paid admissions, 1,232 season tickets, 2,000 servicemen and women in uniform and 5,000 children under ten years old, a total of 29,026 people on the grounds. This compares with 11,629 daily paid admissions on Wednesday of 1942, 714 season tickets, and about 2,700 children, a total of 15,043 persons on the grounds or an increase for this year of 13,983.

Grand Stand Attendance
The grandstand attendance for Wednesday afternoon was 5,337 and for that night was 6,726, a total of 12,063. These figures include the persons in the bleachers, 1,365.

State fair visitors were entertained by many bands from over Missouri Thursday. They came from Marshfield, Booneville, Tipton, Lawson, Chillicothe, and Windsor.

Bands which appeared Wednesday were: Cole Camp, Oak Grove, Kingsville, Lone Jack, Levasy, Marionville and Lancaster.

Luncheon For Governor

Governor Phil M. Donnelly, who attended the State Fair Wednesday, was guest of Commissioner of Agriculture John W. Ellis, and Secretary of the Fair Ernest W. Baker, at a noon-day chicken dinner given in the dining room of the Administration building.

Included among the guests at the luncheon were: Mrs. Donnelly, Brig. General John A. Harris, adjutant general, Missouri National guard and Mrs. Harris, Col. Hugh H. Waggoner superintendent of the Missouri State Highway Patrol, and Mrs. Waggoner, Mrs. Ellis and Mrs. Baker. Other present were various state officials and members of the governor's party.

Following the evening program in front of the grandstand, Governor Donnelly and party retired to the Administration building where they were served coffee and cake. The cakes were blue ribbon winners from the Home Economics department.

Army Display

Troop Carrier Command is paying special tribute to its neighbors in Missouri by way of a huge exhibit at the State Fair.

The exhibit, housed in the Varied Industries building at the State Fair grounds, Sedalia, Mo., features component parts of Troop Carrier Command's Airborne Attack and is open to the public at all times without charge.

Champion Baton Twirler

A special attraction to many onlookers at the fair Wednesday was the expert baton twirling of Miss Mary Evelyn Thurman of Kirksville, who appeared with Please Turn to Page 5, Column 1

Charles Hannegan Named Chief Deputy

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Charles Hannegan, brother of Postmaster General Robert E. Hannegan, has been named chief deputy of the field division of the internal revenue office here at a salary of \$5,200.

James Finnegan, collector of internal revenue, said Hannegan succeeds Thomas Copley who has become chief of the income tax division.

Hannegan, who is 41, was dis-

Great Britain Ratifies Charter

By W. W. HERCHER
LONDON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Great Britain ratified the United Nations charter tonight despite blunt statements in Parliament that it was not strong enough to maintain peace while the atom bomb remained an Anglo-American secret.

The speakers urged that the secret be shored immediately with Russia.

Big Job Ahead For Sedalia Army Air Field

The Sedalia Army Air Field is not closing, said Col. James B. McCauley, commanding officer, denying reports heard on the street to that effect. "Its duties will be greater and there will be more work to be done," he said, in an interview with a Democrat-Capital reporter Thursday.

With the surrender of Japan ten days ago, all training programs ceased at the SAAF and reconversion of army activity was started. The Troop Carrier is now taking over a much larger job, that of transporting troops to and from the combat zones, also transporting men to and from redeployment centers and separation centers.

High ranking army officials who were at the SAAF last Sunday, were here to discuss the present program and to complete arrangements for this work of transportation.

The discharge of a large number of men is no indication of abolishing the SAAF at the present time. Reassignments of officers and men already has been started and new men are coming into the field.

It was indicated the SAAF will be a "homeing field" with plenty of activity.

Soon Return To The 40-Hour Week

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—President Truman ordered all federal departments and agencies today to return to the basic 40-hour week not later than September 9, 1945, unless it would seriously hamper their essential operations.

In a letter to the department heads he said: "This will permit the establishment of a five-day work week wherever feasible. In those cases where you decide that it is absolutely necessary to temporarily maintain a work week in excess of 40 hours, please report to the director of the bureau of the budget the reasons for your decision."

The President recently cut the wartime work week from 48 to 44 hours in all departments except war, navy and treasury.

Mr. Truman today also directed government departments to discontinue the present requirement for work on public holidays because this was no longer needed. He said the following should be observed as non-work days:

January 1, February 22, May 30, July 4, first Monday in September, November 11, Thanksgiving, and Christmas.

He said too that departments and agencies should return to their normal policies in granting leaves of absence for vacation purposes.

Cpl. Dillon Calls Parents from Boston

Cpl. Earl F. Dillon, son of Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Dillon, of Smithton, called his parents from Boston Thursday, telling them he had arrived in the states on the Sea Fiddler Wednesday, and would soon be home on a 30-day furlough.

Cpl. Dillon has been overseas 28 months. He is with the 74th station hospital unit. He told his parents he was on his way to the Pacific when Japan surrendered and the ship he was on turned its course and came to the United States.

Fire Companies Make Runs To Grass Fires

Two grass fires on West Sixteenth street were reported to the fire department Wednesday evening; one in the 1700 block with no damage, and the other in the 2300 block, with no damage.

A grass fire was reported on Marvin avenue and Twelfth street in a vacant lot but no damage

I.C. Seizure By Order of Truman

Action Taken As Strike Threat For Midnight Had Been Made

WASHINGTON, Aug. 24. (Friday)—(AP)—The government assumed control of the Illinois Central railroad today in an eleventh hour move to forestall service interruption by a scheduled strike.

Seizure of the railroad was authorized by President Truman last night a short while before the 12:01 a. m. central war time deadline for a strike of firemen and engineers.

The President stated that a stoppage in the railroad industry at this time is unthinkable.

The Office of Defense Transportation was authorized to take over operation.

The brotherhood of firemen and engineers immediately announced action postponing the strike "indefinitely."

The dispute involved promotions, stemming from a jurisdictional conflict with the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

An all-day meeting called by Reconversion Director John W. Snyder at the President's request had failed to gain any settlement of the dispute.

The White House action was announced at 10:30 p. m. eastern war time.

A stoppage in the railroad industry at this time is unthinkable, President Truman said when he signed the seizure order, the White House reported.

D. B. Robertson, head of the Brotherhood of Firemen and Engineers, told a reporter his union would not strike against the government, and that by telegrams and long distance telephone calls to union officials along the road, word was being sent out to the 3,000 members of the union to remain on the job, and that the strike was "postponed indefinitely."

Robertson said that the government would be asked to continue the promotion system which he said had been in effect for 40 years and was followed on every other standard railroad in the country.

The White House order did not define the legal authority for the seizure.

But a spokesman for the Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion said it was done under the War Powers act, the Selective Service act, and the constitutional powers of the President as commander in chief.

Threat To Troop Movements
He said the dispute threatened to interfere with:

1. Essential war purposes—troop movements and the shipment of goods to troops.

2. The orderly transition to a peacetime economy.

He pointed out that the President's executive order of Aug. 18 defined the reconversion period as the "final stage of the war emergency."

Legally speaking, hostilities have not been terminated. President Truman said today at his news conference that it will be a long time before they are.

Meanwhile President Truman was preparing an order today by which the government would step out of the Toledo, Peoria and Western Railroad, Montgomery Ward and Company, Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company and a

Supplies From Air To Prisoners

MANILA, Friday, Aug. 24.—(AP)—Allied planes on a mercy mission will shower supplies tomorrow on Japan's detention camps, where an estimated 32,000 Allied prisoners of war—7,000 of them Americans—are held.

Tokyo messaged General MacArthur that Japanese Red Cross workers and aides from the Swiss legation would leave today for seven major camps to help move internees to designated embarkation ports.

Suffers Broken Arm

Clyde Hall, 1509 East Thirteenth street, sustained a broken left wrist Thursday morning when the door of a mail car on which he was working at the Missouri Pacific shops rolled shut. The fracture was set by Dr. D. P. Dyer at the Bothwell hospital where Hall remained as a

For Dropping Of War Time

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—President Truman will recommend to congress when it reconvenes Sept. 5 that war time be abolished.

An act of congress is necessary to restore the clocks to the one-hour earlier time prevalent before the war.

The President told his news conference that the matter of regulating time should be given back to the states.

Earlier in the day, Rep. Howell (R-Ill.) a member of the house interstate commerce committee, said he would press for immediate committee action on one of several war time repealer bills now pending.

For Protecting Jobs For 'Vets'

Expect Congress To Act Quickly On Guarantees

By ARTHUR EDSON

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—President Truman said today that he won't permit any veteran to be deprived of his former job because of a legal technicality.

Mr. Truman told a news conference that if additional legislation is needed, he will recommend specific changes to congress. And in view of the tremendous pressure certain to be put on by veterans' organizations, congress is expected to act quickly.

Of the men who will be out of service by Jan. 1, an estimated 1,000,000 have been guaranteed by law the right to return to their former jobs.

But Maj. Gen. Lewis Hershey, director of Selective Service, brought out in Boston last night that, because of an omission in present law, this legal right will expire "when congress terminates hostilities."

The figure of 1,000,000 is the officially accepted estimate of the number of drafted men who were taken off actual, continuing jobs. Generally the others were students, self-employed, unemployed, or otherwise without formal employment relationships.

Governor Herbert O'Connor of Maryland talked with Mr. Truman today and said the President told him he has some specific recommendations to make or guaranteeing job rights for veterans.

O'Connor declared it would be "the worst evidence of ingratitude on the part of the American public," if these guarantees were dropped, and he said Mr. Truman also expressed "deep concern" over the matter.

Sen. Thomas (D-Utah), chairman of the senate military affairs committee, disclosed that he had advised Mr. Truman of the situation more than a week ago, and that although the President has not replied officially he is fully aware of the situation.

What It Is About
Here is what the to-do is all about:

In the original Selective Service act congress provided that every veteran who had a job would get it back if he asked for it in 90 days. It also provided that even though other provisions of the act should be abolished, the job guarantees would go on.

It was in the renewal of the Selective Service act this spring that the change was made. The act is to run until May 15, 1946, or until "the date of the termination of hostilities in the present war."

Sgt. W. R. Clem Missing in Action

Technical Sergeant Wayland R. Clem, son of Mrs. Grace Mayer, route 1, Green Ridge, has been reported missing in action since May 25, 1945, in the Pacific, according to word received by his mother from the war department.

Tech. Sgt. Clem was with the 677th Squadron, 444th group on a B-29 plane, the "Earthquake McGoon," and went down somewhere on Tinian isle, the report stated. He had been transferred to the Pacific from India only a short time before.

STATE FAIR PROGRAM

FRIDAY, AUGUST 24

Missouri Press Day—Boy and Girl Scout Day

8 a. m. — Grounds and buildings open. The following Missouri high school bands will appear: Bucklin, I. W. Breidenstein, director; Monett, Homer F. Lee, director; Lee's Summit, Ogle C. Chandler, director.

Grandstand

1:30 p. m. — Last running of spectacular harness races. 7 p. m. — Closing night of the Missouri State Fair's Horse Show. With seven big classes, including: Class 92 — Walking horse stake. Class 82 — Fine harness gelding, 4 years and over. Class 89 — Walking mares. Class 87 — Fine Sedalia.

Army Crews To Airlines

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Transcontinental and Western Air will inaugurate its coast-to-coast military redeployment program Monday, using troop carrier airplanes and flight crews now being released to the airlines by the army, John A. Collings, vice president of transportation, said today.

The original starting date of August 20 was deferred a week at army request.

The airline is preparing for large scale troop movements across the continent in both directions, Collings said. Seventeen C-47 troop carriers and pilots to fly them have been assigned to TWA to assist in the aerial redeployment of 25,000 troops a month.

OPA Still To Watch Prices

Stranglehold Be Kept On Many Peacetime Goods

By STERLING F. GREEN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—OPA today threw a stranglehold on the prices that can be charged for new peacetime goods like washing machines and aluminum pots and pans.

These new consumer goods, OPA says, must sell at—or near—pre-war prices.

And to disgruntled manufacturers OPA Boss Chester Bowles said: Make a lot of goods at low prices. By selling a lot, you'll make good money.

In its drive toward the good things—as well as the perils—of peace, the government also:

1. Set out to clinch the job rights of veterans—rights which congress forgot to protect fully.

2. Turned loose 252 war plants. They'll make civilian goods and employment—if industry will buy them.

Warned that the 20 per cent wartime cut in coal for homes must stay—for a while, at least.

4. Ruled out any increase in sugar rations this year. They'll stay at five pounds for four months.

5. Talked of plans to help the small wage-earner get a new home, the man who can pay only \$20 to \$40 a month.

6. Said you could buy electric ranges and fans by December, washing machines by January.

The OPA chief laid down the government's policy on the prices at which consumer durable goods can come back on the market.

Bowles put a ceiling—at 1942 levels—on washing machines, ironers, and aluminum pots and pans. The first pricing of consumer durable goods by the government also set another precedent:

Every ironer, washer and pot must be tagged with its retail ceiling, right at the factory.

Jobs Rights Of Veterans
An oversight—when the Selective Service law was re-written last spring—is endangering the job rights of homecoming veterans.

President Truman went to work today to correct it. He said he has specific recommendations to make the job rights ironclad.

The original draft act — it was to expire May 15, 1945—guaranteed each veteran his old job if he applied for it within 90 days after leaving the service.

It said this right would continue even if the rest of the law was wiped out by the President or congress declaring the war at an end.

But this clause was lost when the act was re-written in the

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Bothwell Hospital Notes

Miss Virginia Jones, Star Route, Sedalia, admitted for medical treatment, and Mrs. Forrest Elkins, RFD 1, Sedalia, admitted for minor surgery.

Mrs. Alice Brown, 605 West Fifth street, Miss Amanda Meyer of Moira, and Ed Lawson, RFD 1, Marshall, dismissed.

Patricia Keating, 1102 West Third street, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Keating, and G. W. Thomas, Spearville, Kas., admitted for tonsillotomy.

U. S. Warship Was Hit By A Jap Torpedo

Score Killed Or Missing On The Pennsylvania

GUAM, Friday, Aug. 24.—(AP)—The battleship Pennsylvania was struck by a Japanese aerial torpedo the night of Aug. 12—a time when surrender negotiations were in progress—and heavily damaged, with 20 men killed or missing. The navy disclosed the action today.

A Japanese plane swept in low in a sneak run, catching the 33,100-ton ship, once called the "luckiest battlewagon in the fleet," unawares. The missile opened a gaping hole in the side of the warship.

The torpedo struck the starboard side. The magazines were damaged but did not explode. The Japanese plane escaped. Most of the casualties occurred below in the navigation compartment.

The Pennsylvania, launched March 16, 1915, at Newport News, Va., was among the warships hit in the sneak attack Dec. 7, 1941, at Pearl Harbor but was in drydock and escaped the sinking fate which befell her sister ship, the Arizona.

The Pennsylvania was blacked out at the time of the Aug. 12 attack and there was no time for sounding of an alarm.

Validate Five Red Stamps Sept 1

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—Five more red stamps will be validated Saturday, September 1, the Office of Price Administration announced tonight.

The new meat-fats stamps are L1, M1, N1, P1, Q1. They will be good for the usual period of four months—September 1 through December 31.

Each of the stamps is worth ten fat points coming into use September 1, making a total of 50 meat-points.

This is the first month since rationing began that no blue points have been made good. This is for the simple reason that rationing of all processed foods which used to require blue points ended August 15.

No change will be made this year in the current sugar ration of 5 pounds a person every four months.

The OPA announced this today as it validated, effective September 1, sugar stamp 38 in ration book four.

This stamp will be good for the purchase of five pounds of sugar through December. The present sugar stamp, 36, will not be good after August 31.

"Supplies of sugar in this country as well as all over the world, continue very tight," Price Administrator Bowles said in a statement. "The department of agriculture tells us that there is no prospect of improvement in supplies for civilians this year."

The agency validated stamp 38, instead of stamp 37, because many home canners mistakenly mailed 37 to local boards last year in applying for special canning allowances of sugar. These persons would have lost their next allotment if stamp 37 had been used.

265 Released At SAA Field

Some 200 enlisted men and 65 officers were processed through the mills of discharge at Sedalia Army Air Field this week. In rapid response to War Department orders that all high-point-score veterans and men of 38 years or over be given immediate attention, Troop Carrier Command ordered its fields cleared of these men even though it might mean a loss of key personnel in some departments on a field.

The majority of the discharges were going to battlewise veterans of high point scores who had been returned to this country to pass on their combat know-how and general foreign service sagacity to the officers and enlisted men in training at Sedalia Army Air Field for Troop Carrier Command service overseas.

Men from every theatre of warfare were returning to every state in the union. A roll call of the Air Forces served by the men of the Troop Carrier wings, groups or squadrons represented sounds like a global tour managed by Cook. It would take a train announcer to reel off the names of the separation centers.

Navy Discloses Collision of Ships

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(AP)—The navy disclosed today that two of its modern 35,000 ton battleships, the Washington and the Indiana, collided February 1, 1944 as they were withdrawing after a bombardment of Kwajalein, in the Marshalls.

Military secrecy had cloaked the accident until today. The Indiana suffered three dead and one injured. Casualties on the Washington were three dead and three missing.

Soldiers Heavily Armed; Spearhead Landing In Japan

Jap Thought Tokyo Had Used Atomic Bombs

WITH 38TH DIV., Northern Luzon, P. I., Aug. 23.—(AP)—"Have you heard about the atomic bombs being used in the war?" American officers asked Japanese Lt. Col. Shimizu Sushimi at a mountain surrender conference.

"Where did we use it against you?" the enemy officer asked eagerly.

"You must have your signals crossed," one American told him. "We were the ones who used it."

The Japanese colonel seemed dumbfounded, Maj. Richard Jeffers, Terre Haute, Ind., related, and told the Americans he understood Japan had such a weapon nearly perfected when he left the homeland.

Over Million Japs To Surrender

Communists In North China In Civil War Threat

By SPENCER MOOSA

CHUNGKING, Aug. 23.—(AP)—More than 1,000,000 Japanese troops are to be surrendered to the forces of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-Shek, it was disclosed today, coincident with a report that the Communists in north and central China had "gathered their strength for an all-out offensive."

Word of the new Communist action, bearing the threat of civil war, was only one of several problems confronting Chinese leadership. Others included the question of whether British or Chinese troops would occupy Hong Kong, the relative position of Russian and Chinese forces in Manchuria, and the future role of the Chinese in French Indo China.

The 1,000,000 figure was disclosed in a battle order delivered by Nipponese envoys at Chih-kiang to Gen. Ho Yingchin, commander of the Chinese forces. It was estimated that they represented one-half of the total Japanese military strength on the Asiatic mainland.

The Communist New China Daily News, published in Chungking, reported the gathering of strength by the Communists, and said that Communist troops were approaching Wanning and Nanyuan, close to the ancient Chinese capital of Peiping.

Report Street Fighting
The newspaper also said that other Communist forces had battled their way into the west railroad station at Tientsin, and that "street fighting is in progress."

(A Tokyo broadcast said Japanese army authorities in north China had protested to Communist army officials against what the Japanese said were plans for "unlawful occupation" of North China cities, and warned that the Japanese would take "appropriate measures" to meet any such move.)

The Communist news agency said that two prominent Communists, Lin Tso-Han and Gen. Chou En-Lai intended to come to Chungking for discussions with the government.

This was regarded however, as an indirect indication that Communist leader Mao Se-Tung had not accepted Chiang's renewed appeal that he come to Chungking to discuss a peaceful settlement of outstanding issues.

Lt. Gen. Albert C. Wedemeyer, commander of U. S. forces in China, stepped into the Hong Kong picture to announce that British and Chinese governments were negotiating on whose forces should occupy the British crown colony.

Meanwhile the surrender problem in Manchuria took a new turn with a government announcement that two of Chiang's most trusted generals, Chang Chi-Chung and Shiung Shin-Hui, had been appointed to accept surrender of the Japanese troops in that area of Russian-Japanese fighting.

There was no explanation of how such a surrender would be effected, since Japanese armies in Manchuria were yielding to the victorious Russians.

American detachments were prepared to enter such key cities as Nanking, Shanghai and Canton with the Chinese. Gen. Wedemeyer issued orders forbidding U. S. troops from fraternizing with the Japanese. He specified that all contacts with the Japanese must be courteous but impersonal.

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Sky Train For MacArthur Have Hover Of Fighters For Protection

MANILA, Friday, Aug. 24.—(AP)—The Japanese government radioed General MacArthur today that execution of his directives in preparing for arrival of occupation troops in Japan has been retarded because of a typhoon.

"We feel it necessary to inform you that, in spite of our best efforts, the preparations required by you for the entry of the advanced party are meeting some difficulties due to the heavy 740-meter typhoon which lasted from the evening of the 22nd until the morning of the 23rd," the message stated "and brought about considerable damage to the communications and transportation in the Kanto districts."

MANILA, Friday, Aug. 24.—(AP)—At least 7,500 soldiers armed to the teeth will spearhead the occupation army landing in Japan with General MacArthur Tuesday, it was announced on Okinawa today as the vanquished empire prepared to disarm all her ships at sea in the first act of surrender. In the first aerial wave will be 350 sky giants—150 four-engined army transports and 150 Liberators from Okinawa air bases and about 50 other big transports from Iwo Jima.

Around the sky train will hover swarms of fighters, ready to open at the first sign of treachery, and the 20 to 30 fighting men in each plane will be armed and alerted as though for an actual invasion. The terminal for this armada will be Atsugi airdrome, 20 miles southwest of Tokyo, where MacArthur will land, meet the enemy's imperial general staff face to face for the first time and give it further orders.

From then on Japan will take its orders from MacArthur, who will preside when the final articles of surrender are signed in Tokyo Bay Aug. 31.

Disarming Ships
Under his orders already issued the Japanese were disarming all ships at sea today, and the air force—once the terror of the orient—was grounded save for liaison planes, unarmed and carrying surrender instructions to remote commands.

E. R. Edwards, Warsaw, Dies Accidentally

Critically Ill He Leaves Room Falls Down Steps

Robert R. Edwards, 59 years old, of three miles south of Warsaw, Mo., died, accidentally about 5:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon when he fell down concrete stairs, leading from an east porch of the Bothwell hospital. He suffered a fracture of his skull on the right side.

Mr. Edwards, a patient at the hospital since Sunday, August 12, had been ill with typhoid fever, also suffered from bronchial trouble, and his condition had been considered critical. He had gotten up from his bed and left his room, located just off of the east porch on the first floor, walked out on the porch and presumably had started down the steps. His head struck a concrete slab and his body rolled out onto the ambulance drive.

He was found by Mrs. Edwards who was returning from the home of Miss May Highleyman, 623 East Thirteenth street, where she had gone, hardly five minutes before. Mrs. Edwards said that she left her husband's room at the hospital, as he appeared to be resting all right, to go to the Highleyman home to deliver a message to her daughters, who were staying there to tell them they could get a ride back to Warsaw if they desired to go.

Wife Sees Husband's Body
She said she hadn't been gone more than five minutes, and as she came back on the hospital grounds and started up the ambulance driveway she saw her husband's body. She rushed to him and then notified nurses, and with the assistance of attendants he was carried back into his room where he died a few minutes later.

Nurses at the hospital were unaware there was no one with Mr. Edwards, as members of the family had been at his bedside almost constantly. They did not know Mrs. Edwards had left the room nor that Mr. Edwards had gotten out of his bed until she returned and notified them her husband had been hurt.

Dr. A. L. Walter, Mr. Edwards' physician, said his condition had been extremely critical. The physician was at the fair grounds when he received word of the accident, and went directly to the hospital. Dr. Walter said it appeared to him to have been an accident.

Dr. Kenneth Holdren, coroner, was notified, and went to the hospital and conducted an investigation. Dr. Holdren stated death was due to a skull fracture and was accidental. He said an inquest was not necessary.

The body was taken to the Gillespie Funeral Home and later to the Reser funeral home at Warsaw.

Mr. Edwards was born at Nobby, Mo., December 2, 1883. He later moved to Warsaw. He was a member of the Methodist church at Warsaw.

Survivors

Surviving him are his widow, Mrs. Mae Edwards, to whom he was married Oct. 18, 1908, their two daughters, Mrs. Gene Bibb, and Mrs. Joe White, both of Warsaw, two grandchildren, Joseph White, III, and Jon Fredrick Bibb. Brothers and sisters surviving are: Mrs. A. E. Drennon, Mrs. Doll Howell and Sam Edwards of Warsaw, Charles Edwards, St. Joseph, Jess Edwards, Commerce, Oklahoma, Mrs. James Hayes, Mountain View, and Mrs. Thurman Smith of Kansas City.

Mr. Edwards who was a painter by trade had been in failing health for several years.

Farm Bureau Business Meet

Olen Monsees, president of the Pettis county Farm Bureau, conducted the August business meeting at the Farm Bureau office, 401½ South Ohio, with a number of the board members present, and Mr. H. E. Slusher, president of the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation, and Mr. Vaniman, Organization Director of the American Farm Bureau Federation of 12 midwest states, as guest speakers. Miss Charline Lindsay is in training at the Extension office as a home demonstration agent.

J. U. Morris reported there was a good rain sale held at the fair grounds August 3. It was announced that D. D. T. insecticide could not be obtained from the extension office as had been previously reported in the papers.

Miss Dorothy Bacon, Home Demonstration Agent, and Mrs. Ralph Dow, president of the county home economics council, had gone to Columbia to attend the three day meeting of the state home economics council. Mr. Slusher was introduced, then Mr. Vaniman. Each discussed the proposed new membership fee and plans as recommended by the Missouri Farm Bureau Federation.

Because of the demands of Farm Bureau work they feel that there should be an expanded program throughout Missouri, and the only way of financing such a program would be through the increase of membership fees.

Ensign Victor D. Stephens on Unusual Mission at Iwo Jima

Ens. Victor D. Stephens, of Sedalia, Mo., a navigator, a Navy Privateer bomber crewman, will step forward when it comes to the last word in first flights—or the first word in last flights.

It happened when two Privateer planes took off for a raid on the Japanese homeland. Privateer No. 2 pilot, Lt. Robert A. Evans, 2232 East 81st St., Seattle, Wash., making his final flight before he and his crew departed for leave in the States, called to the men of No. 1: "Take it easy, fellas, we don't want to get knocked off on our last trip."

Lt. Cdr. Walter C. Michaels, USNR, Coronado, Calif., leading his bomber to her first combat flight, returned the message for No. 1: "Don't give it a thought."

Signaled For Dive
Then the Privateers—part of Fleet Air Wing 18—zoomed off for

their mission. They covered enemy territory, strafed fishing boats and finally arrived in an area of raging squalls where visibility was limited to less than four miles.

Lt. Evans spotted some more fishing vessels and, despite the weather, gave the signal for a dive. Both planes sped down to an altitude of only 100 feet. When they leveled off they found themselves squarely in the inner harbor of Tokyo.

Crewmembers summed up their story with tongue in cheek: "How fast can a Privateer turn around?—We turned around faster. The anti-aircraft fire didn't even start shooting until we were almost out of range. The only way we can figure it out is that they couldn't believe their own eyes—or that guys could do such goofy things."

Ens. Stephens was a member of Lt. Cdr. Michaels' crew.

Westbrook funeral home in Houston.

Funeral services will be held at the Methodist church in Houston at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

Leslie Johnson
Funeral services for Leslie Johnson, who died Saturday night at his home eight miles northeast of Houston, were held at Bethlehem church, near Marshall Junction, Monday afternoon.

He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. W. J. Reid and Miss Willie Johnson, both of Houston.

Mr. Johnson died at the Fitzgibbon hospital in Marshall.

Mrs. Lena Mahnken
Mrs. Lena Mahnken, 72 years old, died at the Bothwell hospital at 1:20 o'clock Sunday afternoon following a lingering illness. Her health failed last January and for the past several weeks her condition had been critical.

Mrs. Mahnken was born at Cole Camp, December 17, 1872, the daughter of the late Claus and Katherine Holsten Fajen. She has lived her entire life in the Cole Camp and Sedalia communities.

Mrs. Mahnken was baptized in the Lutheran church when she was an infant, later in life uniting with the Evangelical and Reformed church.

She was married at Cole Camp to John H. Mahnken June 15, 1899. All of their married life was spent near Sedalia.

She is survived by her husband, J. H. Mahnken, one son Paul J. Mahnken, Kansas City; two daughters, Mrs. Wilma Mosby, route 1, Sedalia; Mrs. Mildred Jaekel, Independence, Mo.; one sister, Mrs. Minnie Wolpert, Sedalia; three brothers, J. H. Fajen, Palmer, Kas.; H. G. Fajen, Cole Camp; L. T. Fajen, Rich Hill.

Four grandchildren also survive.

Two sisters and two brothers preceded Mrs. Mahnken in death.

A short service will be held at the Mahnken family home, eight miles southwest of Sedalia on the Abell road, at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, after which the body will be brought to Sedalia and funeral services will be held at the Evangelical and Reformed church at 3 o'clock. Interment will be in the Memorial Park cemetery.

The body is at the Ewing funeral home where it will remain until Wednesday morning when it will be taken to the Mahnken family home.

Linda Dee Hayworth
Gravestone services for Linda Dee Hayworth, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald B. Hayworth, 2300 East Broadway, were held at the Memorial Park cemetery at 10 o'clock Monday morning.

The Rev. Hallie Rice officiated. Besides her parents the babe is survived by one brother, Willard V. Hayworth, 9, of the home; her paternal grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Price Hayworth, Sedalia; her maternal grandfather William Lopp of Sedalia.

Mrs. Jennie Reed Service
Funeral services for Mrs. Jennie Reed, 83 years old, wife of Nathan Reed, were held at the family home, eleven miles southwest of Sedalia at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon.

The Rev. Ralph Emerson Hurd officiated. The Reams quartet from Green Ridge sang. Mrs. Roy Ragar sang a solo, "Sometime We'll Understand."

Pallbearers were the following: the first four of whom are grandsons: J. T. Edmundson, Norman Stokrod, James Reed, Clyde Helgren, Vernon Arnett and Dr. Arnett.

Interment was in the Reed family lot in the Green Ridge cemetery.

Ernest C. Lindeman
Ernest C. Lindeman, 30, a farmer, died unexpectedly at his home in Smithton at 11:30 o'clock Monday morning. Death was the result of a heart ailment, according to the findings of Dr. K. L. Holdren, Pettis county coroner, who performed an autopsy, assisted by Dr. Lowell Glaze.

Mr. Lindeman, son of Claus Lindeman of Smithton, and the late Mrs. Lydia Monsees Lindeman, was born November 1, 1914 in Smithton.

He is survived, in addition to his father, by his widow, Mrs. Cora Young Lindeman, four brothers and two sisters.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Methodist church in Smithton, of which he was a member. The Rev. Earl Dillon will officiate. Pallbearers will be Olen Klein, Walter Baxter, John Blumh, Sheldon Smith, Paul Erfurth and Olen Monsees.

The body was taken to the

Payments On Sheep And Lambs

Sheep producers in Pettis county will soon be eligible to receive payments at the County AAA office under the Government's new sheep and lamb payments program which has recently been announced. The method of payment will be similar to payments being made under the dairy and the beef production payment program, according to County AAA Chairman, C. E. Ferguson.

The payments will be made by drafts issued by the county AAA committee.

The sheep and lamb payments will amount to \$150 to \$250 per hundredweight for lambs weighing 65 to 90 pounds and \$2.15 to \$3.15 per hundredweight for lambs over 90 pounds, depending upon the month marketed, and \$1.00 per hundredweight for all other sheep and lambs. The rates for August will be \$1.50 per hundredweight for 65 to 90 pound lambs, \$2.15 per hundredweight for lambs weighing over 90 pounds, and \$1.00 per hundredweight for all other sheep and lambs.

These announced payments will be made to sheep producers of this county who sell sheep and lambs to legally authorized slaughterers. The program will be effective on all sales on and after August 5, 1945, through June 30, 1946. Mr. Ferguson suggests that sheep producers of this county retain invoices and receipts of sales in order to qualify for payment as soon as the county committee is authorized to begin making payments under this program.

Agents To Sell Crop Insurance
Authorized agents have been appointed to sell Federal insurance in Pettis county, County AAA Chairman Ferguson has announced.

The community committeemen appointed as insurance agents now selling insurance are Chas. H. Brown, La Monte, Mo.; Geo. D. Swope, La Monte; Ralph Grotzinger, R. No. 2, Sedalia, Mo.; Norton Heffernan, R. No. 5, Sedalia, Mo.; Leo Hoehns, Smithton, Mo.; W. B. O'Leary, Beaman, Mo.; John W. Rissler, Houstonia, Mo.; Norman D. Gibson, La Monte, Mo.; J. P. Ruffin, Green Ridge, Mo.; Walter L. Smith, Hughesville, Mo.; Wm. G. Ruffin, Windsor, Mo.; A. C. Runge, Hughesville, Mo.; J. E. Farris, La Monte, Mo.; and R. W. Dow, R. No. 5, Sedalia, Mo.

"These sales agents will begin calling upon farmers soon to give every producer of wheat a chance to protect his crop from natural hazards through this new Federal insurance program, however, I suggest that farmers contact the agent nearest them or the county committee at the Triple-A office so that they will be sure to have an insurance application signed before the deadline date," stated Mr. Ferguson.

In Missouri, the last day for filing crop insurance applications on the 1946 wheat crop is August 31.

Highlights of the set-up under the new crop insurance program are:

1. Farmers may file applications for crop insurance with a sales agent appointed by the county AAA committee, or at the county AAA office.

2. Crop losses should be reported to the county AAA office, which is responsible for administrative details of the program.

3. Inspection of crop damage and adjustments of losses will be made by a local adjuster for the county, supervised by the State Crop Insurance Director.

While farmers have until August 31 to apply for wheat insurance, they are urged to sign up as soon as possible after the campaign opens which is August 6 in Pettis county.

Vegetables For Winter Meals
Winter meals, as well as summer meals, need to include vegetables. In fact, when people are indoors more and have less direct sunlight they usually need to eat more of the protective foods—that is, milk, eggs, vegetables and fruit—than during the summer.

It is desirable to have 3 or more servings of vegetables daily. One serving should be dark green or deep yellow and one tomato or a raw leafy vegetable or a green salad.

With good management it is usually possible to have some fresh greens until very late in the year and again very early in the spring. This is desirable as fresh greens taste so much better than the canned greens.

Frozen greens are also better than the canned greens. If one is to have tomatoes through the winter months, they will have to be canned in the summer. The Missouri canning budget calls for 30 quarts per person of tomatoes and tomato juice.

To be sure to have enough green and yellow vegetables it would be well to can about 20 quarts for each person. Directions for canning these vegetables may be obtained upon request from your County Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Dorothy Bacon.

Merchants Lose Sixteen Inning Game

Higginsville Scores Winning Run After Two Outs Are Made

In a pitchers duel between two lefthanders, Junior Smith edged out Hal Green in a 16 inning game Sunday afternoon at Higginsville and the Sedalia Merchants dropped the third game of the series by a score of 3 to 2.

Both pitchers worked the entire game and were accorded some brilliant support by their team mates. The Sedalia aggregation turned in five double plays to assist their pitcher and made only one error behind him.

The Sedalians were the first to score. In the third frame Green connected for a double and scored on a single by Livengood. The Higginsville club tied the score in the sixth.

The Merchants went into the lead in the ninth when Shirley led off with a single, went to second on a sacrifice by Nichols and scored on a double by Norman. However Higginsville came fighting back in their half of the ninth to tie the score and with runners in scoring position Nichols caught a line drive in left field and doubled a runner off second to end a Higginsville threat.

The Merchants made several attempts to score in the extra innings but were unable to get to Smith at the opportune moment. In the first of the 16th Norman doubled and Green sent a terrific line drive into left center field, but Busch, Higginsville right fielder, made a great running catch to rob Green of an extra base hit. In Higginsville's half of the same inning Iman led off with a single which was erased on a fast double play, but hits by Busch and Simmons ended the game.

"Lefty" Hal Green besides pitching a great game collected three safe hits to lead the Merchants at bat, Norman, Shirley and Livengood each collected two safeties. The Merchants batted out 12 safe hits. The infielders for the Merchants had a field day with chances as only five fly balls were handled by the outfielders and they turned in some brilliant playing. Gus Shirley handled three in a row in the tenth to retire the side unassisted.

Next Sunday the Merchants will meet the Jefferson City Twedes in a game which has all the promise of being another thriller on the Liberty Park diamond.

The lineup for the game Sunday was Livengood 1b, Ellsworth 2b, Light 3b, Morris 3b, Nichols 1f, Shirley rf, Williams and Thomas rf, Norman c, Green p.

Score by innings:
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000 001 001 000 000 1—3 14 1 Batteries: Higginsville—Smith and Iman; Sedalia—Green and Norman.

Vine Ripened Tomatoes Best

Many people, even though they grow their own tomatoes, have never tasted the delicious flavor of a high quality vine-ripened tomato. A truly vine-ripened tomato of a red variety is entirely deep red all over even up to the stem. When such a tomato is cut open the inside of the tomato is likewise a dark red with no light areas or core. The cell walls are thick and dark red and the seed cells are entirely filled with pulp. Until tomatoes reach this stage they are not ripe.

When a tomato reaches the full-ripe stage on the vine it is of high quality and has a delicious flavor which can never be present in a tomato which is picked from the vine before it is ripe.

The practice of picking tomatoes in the partially ripe stage, allowing them to stand until they take on color is a practice which gives only inferior flavored food. Although the color changes, the tomato thus colored has made very slight if any improvement in flavor.

For true, delicious flavor and appetizing eating allow tomatoes to become entirely red ripe on the vine before picking.

Proper Time For Use Of Grapes

Many people who grow grapes for family use fail to let them fully ripen before harvest. Grapes always develop full color some time before they are fully ripe.

For jelly making immature grapes are desirable because of the high pectin content at that stage. For eating fresh and for making unfermented grape juice full maturity is desirable, which means the fruit should remain on the vines as long as possible.

In the opinion of most people, grape juice made from dead ripe grapes with little or no added sugar is much better than the usual juice made from grapes that are barely ripe and to which considerable sugar must be added to make it palatable.

Let the grapes hang two weeks or more after they are fully colored, if possible.

SOCIAL EVENTS

Bunnie's Cafe Has Robbery

About noon Sunday, Bunnie's Cafe, Engineer avenue and the Missouri Pacific tracks, reported to the police that sometime Saturday night or early Sunday morning, someone broke into the building and obtained a number of cigars. Entrance was gained by breaking the glass of a rear window and exit by way of the back door.

Two boys who escaped from the boys' training school, Booneville, Saturday night, are suspected, as a regulation training school shirt was left behind, the boys probably changing clothes there.

Listed as missing articles were: Twelve cases of beer, six cans of tobacco, one dozen candy bars, ten cigars, six sacks of Advertiser tobacco and one and a half cartons of cigarettes.

Club Members Give Program At Club Meet
The regular meeting of the Rotary club was held Monday night at the Bothwell hotel with the president, Nolan Bricken, presiding.

Due to the inability of the speaker scheduled for the day to be present, the program chairman, Victor Eisenstein, called on several of the past presidents of the club for brief remarks. They were Ray Lippard, W. O. Stanley, Dr. Lawrence Geiger, Frank Bryant, D. S. Lamm, Arthur Hoffman, Dr. J. E. Cannaday, Lawrence Barnett and R. M. Johns.

They spoke on the past and the future activities of the club, particularly stressing the need for the future of the organization in Sedalia.

People Should Be United
Dr. L. W. Deimer and Lt. Irwin L. Peters, both of Warrensburg, referred to the need for united action of people of different faiths which would help solve the problems during the peace time, as they have been applied during the World War period.

T. H. Yount spoke of the need for encouraging servicemen to further their education.

Lyle Brown uniquely made it possible for the visitors of the club as a group to sing: "Till We Meet Again," and later the song was sung by the entire group.

Visitors at the meeting were Howard W. Crosby, St. Louis; Lt. N. O. Crosby, Memphis, Tenn.; Earl Bigbee, Liberal, Kas.; Lt. Irwin L. Peters, Warrensburg; L. W. Deimer, president of Central Missouri State Teachers College, Warrensburg; Theodore M. Beal, Mexico, Mo.; Raymond D. Hogan, Princeton and T. H. Yount, Sedalia.

Three gaited, mare or gelding, 15 and under 15.2: My Winning Ways Genus, owned by R. L. Gray, Kansas City, first; Lombardi Lady, owned by Mrs. R. L. Wheelock, second; Arletha Wanta, owned by Bob Simcox, Blue Springs, Mo., third. Judged by Harry D. Linn, Des Moines, Ia.

Five gaited, Missouri owned and shown: Sue Stephens, owned by Temple Stephens, Moberly; first; Tin Bay, owned by Judge Robinson, Springfield, second; Easter Fanny, owned by Nancy Gaines, Clinton, third; Chief of Westport, owned by Jay W. Jones, Nevada, Judged by John Hooks, Mexico, Mo.

Five gaited, gelding, 4 years old and over: Fair Acres Admiral owned by Mrs. R. L. Wheelock, first; Captivating Firebush, owned by Miss Julia Robertson, Springfield, Mo., second; Easter Sensation, owned by George Roberts, Clinton, third. Judged by D. J. Kays.

Palomino halter class: Glamor Girl, B. F. Kelso, Kansas City, Mo., first; Famous Ray, owned by J. A. Bowen, Fort Scott, Kas., second; Gold Chief, owned by B. F. Kelso, third; McDonald Golden, owned by Charles Roberts, Kansas City, Mo., fourth. Judged by Harry Linn.

Palomino saddle type Palomino stallions or geldings, any age to be shown in hand: Sunkist Peavine, owned by E. C. Rhoden, Kansas City, first; Famous Ray, owned by J. A. Bowen, Ft. Scott, Kas., second; Don Quixote, owned by B. F. Kelso, Kansas City, third. Judged by John Hook.

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In Tokyo Bay Area Raid

IN THE PACIFIC—Lt. (jg) Jerome L. Wolf, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome L. Wolf, of Sedalia, took part recently in the mass raid by carrier-based planes of the 3rd Fleet on the last remaining Jap battleship, the Nagato, lying at anchor in the Tokyo Bay area.

Wolf is a member of well-known squadron, flying Hellcat fighter planes.

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Wayne Hoehns At American Youth Camp

Gives Experience As Member Of Ringen 4-H Club

Wayne Hoehns, a member of the Ringen-Brushy 4-H club, is one of Missouri's representatives at the American Youth Foundation Camp at Shelby, Michigan. Wayne arrived at the camp on August 13, and will return on August 26.

Each year two outstanding 4-H club boys from Missouri are selected to attend this camp from Missouri. Wayne is the third 4-H club member from Pettis county to receive this honor. Other club members who have attended in previous years include Hazel Dean Wicker, and Thelma Brunkhorst.

Wayne has been a club member seven years, beginning with a poultry project in 1938.

Wayne gives his achievements and experiences as a 4-H club member as follows:

"It is with great joy and thanksgiving in my heart that I now look back over my previous 4-H club work. This work that I have completed has given me a deeper understanding of life.

"Seven years ago I began club work as a member of the local newly organized poultry club. I began my club activities as most new members do—with shy expressions and a tight upper lip. I learned much about the production and the care of a laying flock the first year I was in the club. During this first year the club had one inspection tour and this is one of the most interesting things about my first year in 4-H club work.

"It was at the closing meeting of the second successful year of the Brush-Ring Poultry club that I first participated in a team demonstration. Since that time until now I have enjoyed leading the young people and helping them to carry out and complete their projects.

Chance To Exhibit
With my third and fourth years of club work came my first real chance to exhibit the products I had produced. I won my first premiums of cash at the Missouri State Fair and later on in the fall I exhibited swine at the Springfield Fair at Springfield, Mo. I won two champion ribbons at this show, the only two I own.

"In 1941, '42, '43, and '44 we as 4-Hers were called upon by our nation to carry our part of the burden of war.

"We have contributed wholeheartedly to the cause in our community. We accepted the challenge to feed the fighters. All of us began our projects and did not stop them as a seasonal job as we had been doing heretofore, but we made the work last all year round.

"During this period I have produced approximately 12,000 pounds of pork for market, plus 200 broilers for market purposes, 5,000 pounds of potatoes, 6,000 pounds of other vegetables, canned, sold and dried. To this I added that I have produced 575 bushels of corn for farm feed which we used on the farm. The last two years of my club work included a very interesting phase of modern farming and was of keeping bees to reduce the sugar shortage in our home.

"I have also discovered the nutritive values that exist in honey. I have used it on breakfast cereals, in fruits, and many other uses have been found for it at our home. Raw honey in itself has proved to be a worthy conditioner for me.

"I am now 18 years old and am as all the world is to-day—standing in the midst of an undecided world. The future of America lies on the shoulders of our youth. It is then the duty of every 4-H club member to make the most of their early experiences in life as possible. I realize that it has been hard for some of the members, but all should try harder to live up to the motto that is ours, the 4-H Members all over America—'To Make The Best Better'.

"I have gained the love that God grants us to enjoy, being with the youth of the nation and my country or wherever I may be. I love the 4-H youth and everything that they stand for, now and in the days to come.

"The total cash value of my projects for the past seven years is \$2548.52. This is only a minor value that I have received from my club work. My experience with 4-H work stands most important with me.

"My activities outside of 4-H club work consists of being a Methodist Sunday school Superintendent, member of the Smithton High school Music activities an giving part of my time to relieve the labor shortage in a grocery store in a neighboring town.

Traffic Case
John Langston, a taxicab driver for the Yellow Taxicab Company, was arrested Monday morning, charged with reckless driving. He posted a \$50 bond.

Banks Closing Notice
The banks of Sedalia will close at noon Thursday, August 23, so the banks personnel may attend the Missouri State Fair.

Sedalia Clearing House Assn.

Club Members Give Program At Club Meet

Various Subjects Chosen For Impromptu Talks

The regular meeting of the Rotary club was held Monday night at the Bothwell hotel with the president, Nolan Bricken, presiding.

Due to the inability of the speaker scheduled for the day to be present, the program chairman, Victor Eisenstein, called on several of the past presidents of the club for brief remarks. They were Ray Lippard, W. O. Stanley, Dr. Lawrence Geiger, Frank Bryant, D. S. Lamm, Arthur Hoffman, Dr. J. E. Cannaday, Lawrence Barnett and R. M. Johns.

They spoke on the past and the future activities of the club, particularly stressing the need for the future of the organization in Sedalia.

People Should Be United
Dr. L. W. Deimer and Lt. Irwin L. Peters, both of Warrensburg, referred to the need for united action of people of different faiths which would help solve the problems during the peace time, as they have been applied during the World War period.

T. H. Yount spoke of the need for encouraging servicemen to further their education.

Lyle Brown uniquely made it possible for the visitors of the club as a group to sing: "Till We Meet Again," and later the song was sung by the entire group.

Visitors at the meeting were Howard W. Crosby, St. Louis; Lt. N. O. Crosby, Memphis, Tenn.; Earl Bigbee, Liberal, Kas.; Lt. Irwin L. Peters, Warrensburg; L. W. Deimer, president of Central Missouri State Teachers College, Warrensburg; Theodore M. Beal, Mexico, Mo.; Raymond D. Hogan, Princeton and T. H. Yount, Sedalia.

Three gaited, mare or gelding, 15 and under 15.2: My Winning Ways Genus, owned by R. L. Gray, Kansas City, first; Lombardi Lady, owned by Mrs. R. L. Wheelock, second; Arletha Wanta, owned by Bob Simcox, Blue Springs, Mo., third. Judged by Harry D. Linn, Des Moines, Ia.

Five gaited, Missouri owned and shown: Sue Stephens, owned by Temple Stephens, Moberly; first; Tin Bay, owned by Judge Robinson, Springfield, second; Easter Fanny, owned by Nancy Gaines, Clinton, third; Chief of Westport, owned by Jay W. Jones, Nevada, Judged by John Hooks, Mexico, Mo.

Five gaited, gelding, 4 years old and over: Fair Acres Admiral owned by Mrs. R. L. Wheelock, first; Captivating Firebush, owned by Miss Julia Robertson, Springfield, Mo., second; Easter Sensation, owned by George Roberts, Clinton, third. Judged by D. J. Kays.

Palomino halter class: Glamor Girl, B. F. Kelso, Kansas City, Mo., first; Famous Ray, owned by J. A. Bowen, Fort Scott, Kas., second; Gold Chief, owned by B. F. Kelso, third; McDonald Golden, owned by Charles Roberts, Kansas City, Mo., fourth. Judged by Harry Linn.

Palomino saddle type Palomino stallions or geldings, any age to be shown in hand: Sunkist Peavine, owned by E. C. Rhoden, Kansas City, first; Famous Ray, owned by J. A. Bowen, Ft. Scott, Kas., second; Don Quixote, owned by B. F. Kelso, Kansas City, third. Judged by John Hook.

The Navy pilots described the raid as the most thrilling they ever took part in. Hundreds of dive bombers, torpedo planes and fighter bombers participated, facing a barrage so thick that even the target was partially obscured.

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Road Work To Begin Soon In The Philippines

Plans Complete For Expending Of \$20,000,000

JEFFERSON CITY, Aug. 18—(AP)—Missouri's huge \$20,000,000 highway program will be started as soon as congress announces the end of hostilities and makes the federal government's portion of the funds available.

Chief Highway Engineer Carl W. Brown announced this Friday at a press conference in which he told newsmen that plans have already been completed for \$20,000,000 of the work. He also announced department personnel switches approved this week by the state highway commission in readying the staff for the big highway building job.

The construction program, to be spread over a four-year period beginning as quickly as possible, will bring \$43,121,193 in federal money into use in construction of federal highways' farm to market and supplementary roads, and for highway construction in cities of more than 5,000 population. The state will match these funds.

This is the first time that such funds have been made available for road work in cities. A recent federal law allows use of 25 per cent of the government's matching road funds for such construction and Missouri's 1945 constitution now permits use of state money for such purposes.

Brown said bids could be asked on projects totalling nearly \$20,000,000 as soon as the war emergency is declared over, but he did not indicate whether the first projects would be located.

He said the program, with a major plan of providing employment for returning servicemen, would probably mean jobs for 2,400 permanent employees in the highway department aside from the jobs opened when project contractors start hiring workmen.

The department now employs some 1,100 persons, including planning, office and maintenance staffs. Normal payroll before the war, Brown said, was about 1,700. Of the 300 department employees who have been or still are serving in the armed forces, Brown said he expected only a portion to return to work although their jobs will remain open for them until he finds they do not want to come back.

Red Cross Corner

This week, and the week following have been and will be characterized by the visits of two representatives from the Midwestern Area office. The former, Miss Flora Williams, home nursing consultant, spent Thursday, Friday and Saturday in Sedalia and met with Mrs. E. F. Yancey, chairman of Nurse Aides and her committee. She also met with Mrs. J. Emmett Hurley, chairman of home nursing and her committee. With both chairmen and groups of volunteers, Miss Williams discussed the programs for the following year. Miss Mary Virginia Goldman, home service representative, will be in Sedalia August 23, 24 and 25. Miss Goldman will meet with Mrs. Herbert Seifert and the other representatives of our home service corps.

Relative to the home service program of the coming year, the Red Cross office would be exceedingly gratified to receive, on a loan basis, a divan and two comfortable chairs. We will say here and now, that these are not for the use of the Red Cross workers, but for those who come to the Red Cross office for all services to which they are entitled. Some are old, some are ill, some are infirm. Frequently, it is necessary for them to stay in the Red Cross office a long time, in order that their papers may be filled out, and that certain forms, and applications may be completed. For them, to be able to sit in a comfortable chair, would be pleasant. Please look around your houses and see if this request can be met. The furniture will be kept in good condition and will be returned when the need for it is at an end.

To tens of millions the world's worst war is over. Thanks to the heroic and faithful efforts of the members of our armed forces, those of us in the United States were spared much of the horror and suffering visited upon the inhabitants of many other lands. But there is another battle that has just begun: that of picking up the pieces of a shattered world and fashioning a new and brighter one.

Among the agencies that will necessarily be in the vanguard of the rebuilding process is the American Red Cross. Already, the Pettis County Chapter has been reorganized for its postwar duties and activities. Our office handles claims for hospitalization, pensions, and other legal benefits. Assistance to families of veterans as well as those of servicemen, will also claim a large part of our effort. Our chapter recognizes that hundreds of men returning to this community will look to the Red Cross for advice, information, and assistance. Our Home Service program will carry on without interruption.



HEADQUARTERS 13TH AAF, PHILIPPINES—Charles W. Blaylock, son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Blaylock of Sedalia has been promoted to staff sergeant with the Headquarters Squadron of Brigadier General Earl W. Barnes' 13th AAF Fighter Command.

Staff Sergeant Blaylock serves as an aerial engineer with the flight section of his unit.

A veteran of 25 months overseas, Sergeant Blaylock wears the Army's Good Conduct Medal, Asiatic-Pacific Theater Ribbon with three battle stars and the Philippine Liberation Ribbon with one battle star.

He Dodged The Japs



Cletis L. Phegley

Cletis L. Phegley, 23, aviation radioman, third class, USNR, Frisbie, Mo., has returned on leave from a tour of aerial gunnery duty in the Pacific during which he was snatched from beneath the very noses of the Japs by fellow airmen who spotted him after he and his Helldiver bombing plane pilot had been shot down a half-mile off Japanese shores.

He and his pilot, Ens. John Morris, USNR, were circled by 26 fellow members of Air Group 12 who flew a total of 156 hours in the operation, carried out more than 200 miles away from their carrier.

Sgt. Sprinkle Merits Awards

Mrs. Maude Sprinkle of north of Knob Noster, has received from Austria the Bronze Star medal award her son, M/Sgt. Earl Sprinkle, for heroic and meritorious achievement against the enemy in Germany, and his Good Conduct medal award for good conduct, efficiency and fidelity.

Sprinkle, now in France, has been overseas since September, 1944.

His citation, signed by Maj.-Gen. H. E. Dager, is as follows: "Master Sergeant Earl Sprinkle, Headquarters Battery, 11th Armored division artillery, U. S. army. For meritorious service in connection with military operations against an armed enemy. During the periods December 30, 1944, to January 10, 1945, and February 17, 1945, to May 8, 1945, Sgt. Sprinkle served as operations sergeant. Through his devotion to duty, leadership and strict attention to military details, Sgt. Sprinkle kept the headquarters operating smoothly in spite of long hours and difficult field conditions. His services were in keeping with the highest traditions of the U. S. Army."

Souvenirs From European Area

Mrs. Charles Rages of Hughesville has received a box from her son, S/Sgt. Charles Rages, of Europe, containing the following articles:

Two Luftwaffe flags, a bottle of Chanel No. 5 perfume, a photo of himself, money, both paper and coins, from North Africa, Italy, France, Germany and several editions of the "Stars and Stripes," and the arm band he wore when he and five buddies captured Nazis in southern France.

Honors he has received are as follows: three bronze service stars for participation in the Rome-Arno, southern France and Berny campaigns, the bronze service arrowhead for an amphibious assault landing on the coast of southern France, and a citation given the company by Lieut. Gen. Alexander M. Patch, commanding officer of the Seventh army.

Meeting At Riecke Home

The Willing Workers class of Antioch Baptist church met recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. U. M. Riecke of near Green Ridge. Mrs. Elizabeth Myers presided over the business session and an appropriate program was presented.

Refreshments were served and games played during the social hour.

Shops and Rails

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Edwards, 2247 East Broadway, spent the past week-end visiting their son Clarence and wife in Kansas City. Clarence is now employed in the post office in Kansas City. He was recently discharged from the navy. Mr. Edwards is a pipefitter at the local shops.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ellsworth and daughter Bettye Yvonne were in Jefferson City last Thursday visiting relatives. Mr. Ellsworth is clerk in the production department at the local shops.

G. T. Callender, mechanical superintendent for the Missouri Pacific, was in Sedalia last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Satterwhite and children spent the past week-end visiting relatives in Kansas City. Mr. Satterwhite is chief clerk in the superintendent's office at the local shops.

S. O. Streby, boilermaker, who has been off duty the past several months because of illness, returned to work last week.

Mrs. W. H. Stephenson and daughter Miss Wanda, were in Brookfield, last week where they attended the formal wedding of a niece of Mrs. Stephenson's. Mr. Stephenson is a machinist at the local shops.

Missouri Pacific locomotives 2119 and 86 were released for service last week after undergoing a general overhauling at the local shops.

Mrs. J. M. Parsley, wife of power plant engineer, and Mrs. Raymond Prime, wife of an employee in the power house, were recent visitors in St. Louis.

L. E. Murney, traveling electrical inspector for the Missouri Pacific, was at the shops last week on business.

Robert Moran, welding supervisor for the Missouri Pacific with headquarters in St. Louis, was at the shops last week on business.

Floyd Knerl, pipefitter foreman at the local shops, spent last week in St. Louis on company business. Guy Vilmer acted as foreman in his place.

C. E. Beasley, production engineer, is spending the week-end visiting with his family in Kansas City.

O. E. Light, clerk in the car department, who has been off duty the past months because of illness is getting along satisfactorily but is not expected to resume his duties for some time. His place is being filled by Miss Virginia Burford of this city.

Mrs. H. H. Fisher, wife of store helper in the store department, returned home last Thursday from Omaha, Neb., where she was called by the serious illness of her mother, who is a patient in a hospital in Omaha. Mrs. Fisher reports her mother is getting along nicely and expects to return home shortly.

W. B. Eastham, pipefitter at the local shops, is spending a few days visiting his daughter and husband in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Frank Yochem, chief boiler inspector for the Missouri Pacific, was in the city last week on business.

The District Softball Meet

State Tournament To Be Held At St. Joseph First Of September

Manager Hank Williams, announced Saturday, the Eagles will be host to the district softball tournament which will be played at Liberty Park probably the week of August 27th. The tournament originally scheduled for Marshall was transferred here when the Eagles offered to sponsor the affair.

Teams from Marshall, Carrollton, Stover, Cole Camp, Warrensburg Naval Trainees, Miami, Slater, and other surrounding communities are expected to enter. Entries have already been received by Commissioner Bill Lyons of Marshall for the Marshall All-Stars, Sacred Heart of Sedalia, and the Eagles. However, those desiring to enter can notify Manager Williams at his home 1304 South Ohio avenue, on or before Thursday, August 23. The entry date will close the 23rd.

Transportation will be provided, vehicles to leave the U. S. O. at 7:00 o'clock. Each girl is asked to bring four sandwiches.

All who wish to attend are asked to register at the U. S. O.

Here's the Proof



George Kostelas, of the Sedalia Hat Shop holds a 35 pound blue-white channel cat fish which he caught recently in the Lake of the Ozarks at a location two miles east of Hurricane deck. His fishing partners on the occasion were Tom Soter, of Sedalia and John Zarkos, of Jefferson City.

In The Service

HEADQUARTERS, 13th AAF, Philippines.—Corporal Harry J. Naugel, 645 East Thirteenth street has been promoted to his present rank after 14 months of overseas duty with the Jungle Air Force.

As a munitions worker on B-24 Liberator bombers, Corporal Naugel must keep the big bombers in fighting trim for the long missions flown by the 13th AAF. Joining his unit, the "Long Rangers" more than a year ago, Sergeant Naugel has participated in four major campaigns. He wears the Good Conduct ribbon and the Asiatic-Pacific campaign ribbon with four battle stars.

Corporal Naugel was a student at Smith-Cotton high school until he entered the Army Air Forces in August, 1943.

Corporal Naugel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry S. Naugel, reside at 645 East 13th Street, Sedalia, Missouri.

Democrat-Capital class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 80c. (Phone 1000.)

Thrills, Spills—Thrill Show—Sunday Aug. 26th



Hurling a racing automobile over a transcontinental bus is an easy way to earn a living—if you don't mind risking your neck. A week from today, on August 26, on the closing Sunday of the Missouri State Fair, world's champion stuntman, Jimmie James of the All-American Thrill Drivers will roar down the straightaway in front of the grandstand, pilot his car up a set of sharply inclined ramps and leap completely over a bus lengthwise, with plenty of room to spare. James was featured doing this stunt recently at the New York Polo Grounds, at Soldier's Field, Chicago; at the St.

Louis Arena and at Creighton Stadium in Omaha where 30,000 jammed every available inch of space to witness the second performance of Jimmie James and the All-Americans and 5,000 people were turned away from the gates due to lack of accommodations for the overflow attendance. In the big two-hour Thrill Day program next Sunday cars will be crashed, rolled end-for-end, racing automobiles somersaulted through space, cars and motorcycles wheeled through blazing barriers and brick walls; drivers will hurtle cars on two-wheels with the throttles pinned to the

floorboards through the spectacular Roman Racing events, drivers will pilot cars over the dynamite-laden boulevards of death, jump cars and buses and do other equally hazardous feats. The majority of members of the All-Americans are former servicemen, having received their honorable discharges or retirement papers and are back in their former line of work, that of professional stuntmen. The All-Americans are bringing stunt performers to Sedalia from all parts of the nation. Record crowds have marked every appearance of this congress of daredevils during the past two months, the time their 1945 tour started.

REAL ESTATE

TRANSFERS

Ralph A. Arnold and wife to Lee and Nellie E. Thomas, WD property on south side of Tenth street between Wagner and Center avenues—\$1.00 and other consideration.

H. E. Braden and wife to John W. and Ruby L. Standard, WD property on east side of Lamine avenue between Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Mattie M. Montgomery to Glenn W. and Enoia G. Stewart, WD property at northeast corner of Sixteenth street and Emmett avenue—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Leslie A. Dillard and wife to William E. and Frances Sprinkle, WD property on east side of Grand avenue between Seventeenth and Eighteenth streets—\$1.00 and other consideration.

A. D. Parker and wife to L. E. and Ethel E. Hurst, WD property on south side of Broadway between Limit avenue and State Fair boulevard—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Mittie Arnest to Joseph L. and Opal Jordan, WD property on south side of Fourteenth street between Brown and Summit avenues—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Lettie R. Bratten to I. D. and Edith Payne, WD property on north side of Sixth street between Summit and Engineer avenues—\$1.00 and other consideration.

J. A. Lamy and wife to George R. and Eva L. Smith, WD property on north side of Fifth street between Montgomery and Brown avenues—\$1.00 and other consideration.

T. D. Woodward and wife to R. R. and Eunice Marshall, QCD property on north side of Morgan street between Osage and Montau avenue—\$1.00.

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Forrest L. Drake and wife to William T. and Ida M. Rudy, WD property at southeast corner of Fourth street and Harrison avenue—\$1.00 and other consideration.

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Rose L. Wardell to Donald Garrett and Wilma O. Tuggle, WD property at southeast corner of Ninth street and Grand avenue—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Coming From Pacific

Misses Virginia and Helen Biery, 415 South Marvin avenue, received a telephone call Saturday from their father, E. S. Biery, MMS 2/c who has arrived in the states after serving overseas twenty-seven months. He has been serving on Leyte Island. Before going there he was in New Caledonia, Bougainville, Russell Islands and New Guinea. He will arrive in Sedalia Tuesday.

Maude E. Karigan to H. V. and Orelia Wolf, WD property on south side of Eleventh street between Center and Porter avenue—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Ellis R. Moore and wife to Joe B. and Edith J. Griffith, WD property at southwest corner of Nineteenth street and Lamine avenue—\$1.00 and other consideration.

Ruth Conway to Louis J. and Nora Hinch, QCD tract of land in Blackwater Township—\$700.00.

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Happy To Be Coming Home From Pacific

Kenneth Holman, with the radio division of the navy, writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Holman, 1413 East Seventh street, from someplace in the Pacific. He writes in part:

August 5, 1945

"Dear Mother and Dad: "I'll write a few lines to let you know that I am still around, and right at the present very happy. I will start for home on the sixth. However, we plan on laying over a few days in Hawaii before making the rest of the trip. Then there will be a few days' delay on the west coast before I really start home. But at the most, I should be in Sedalia within three weeks.

"I am hoping against hope that Rufus will be there when I get home, also some of the guys my age. Never-the-less, I will be very happy just to get to see you and Dad, and maybe, if God is willing, I will get stationed close enough to home that I will be able to get home a little more often. x x x

"A few months in the states will do me good, because I am getting pretty nervous, and can tell it. However, I must admit I have been very fortunate so far in this war, and thank God for looking after me. Because I know there aren't many fellows with overseas duty who haven't been injured at least once. So I feel that it isn't all just mere luck that I have been able to go nearly three years without as much as a scratch.

"Well, I don't have any more news to write, and wouldn't be able to write it anyway, so I will close.

"Kenney."

Medal Design Requires Time

ARMY TIMES.—Preparation of designs for the new "Victory Medal" authorized by the act approved July 6 and drafting of regulations governing its award probably will require some time. Officials of the Adjutant General's Office told ARMY TIMES this week.

Since the medal is for general award, Navy, Marine and Coast Guard, as well as Army officials, must reach agreement on design and regulations.

The enabling act merely directs the Secretaries of War and the Navy "to procure . . . a medal (and suitable appurtenances) of design and official designation jointly approved by them, to be awarded to all persons who shall have served on active duty in the armed forces of the United States or of the Government of the Philippine Islands at any time during the period beginning Dec. 7, 1941, and ending with the date of the termination of hostilities in the present war, and whose service shall have been honorable."

Horse and Mule Pulling Race

Cash prizes totalling \$400.00 will be awarded in the Horse and Mule Pulling Contest at the 1945 Missouri State Fair, to be held here August 19-26, according to Ernest W. Baker, secretary-manager of the fair, who said the contest would take place Saturday afternoon, August 25, at 1:30 p. m. in front of the grandstand.

"This contest is being staged to ascertain and demonstrate the proper method of training and conditioning horses and mules for work," Mr. Baker said. "It will also encourage horsemanship in fitting harness and in driving, and will demonstrate the maximum pulling capacity of the horse and mule," he added.

E. A. Trowbridge, Columbia; J. U. Morris, Sedalia; and Howard Bullocks, Windsor will be contest judges. E. M. Woods is timekeeper.

Home From Overseas

Cpl. Earl L. Heinaman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Heinaman, Florence, Mo., who has been in service in the Pacific for the past twenty-seven months has arrived home to spend his furlough with his parents. Cpl. Heinaman entered service on May 6, 1942 and was with the 7th Air Force. He served overseas on Wheeler Field, Kahu Air Base, Canton Island and Hickam Field Air Depot. In civilian life he was heavy equipment operator for the Chicago and Northwestern railroad.

Ration Roundup

Red Stamps—Q2 through U2 good through August 31; V2 through Z2 good through September 30; A1 through E1 good through October 31; F1 through K1 good through November 30.

One pound of household salvage fat worth 4 cents and 2 ration points at your butcher shop.

Sugar Stamp No. 38, Gook four, good through August 31.

Shoes Stamps Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 on Airplane page in Book 3 good indefinitely.

Home Economic Club Ladies Leaders



Mrs. Ralph Dow of Georgetown was elected vice-president of the Missouri Home Economics Extension Association, which convened at the University of Missouri, August 4-5-6. Others attending from Pettis county were Miss Dorothy Bacon, Home Demonstration agent, and Miss Charline Lindsay, assistant Home Demonstration agent.

The Missouri Home Economics Extension Association is made up of the Home Economics Extension presidents of each county.

Mrs. Dow is shown in the picture, front row, third from left. Others are, reading from left to right: front row, Mrs. Henry Willis, representative from the southwest district, Bates county; Miss Florence Lynes, president, Crawford county; Mrs. Ralph Dow, vice-president, Pettis county; Mrs. Stanford Morris, representative of northeast, Macon county; back row, Mrs. C. Louis Van Buren, representative of northwest, Clinton county; Mrs. Harry R. Jaegers, representative of south central, Wright county; Mrs. V. B. Vandever, secretary; Mrs. Harry Wiegars, treasurer, Lafayette county.

Attendance At Fair Thursday Is Larger Than Previous Days

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The Lancaster high school band. The 40-piece band, dressed in red and white uniforms with gold trim, is directed by Dr. N. M. Boyd. Miss Thurman is the 1944 baton twirler champion.

Poland China Show

In the Poland China division of the hog show at the fair the champion sow, a junior gilt, and the champion boar, Sod Buster, were shown by Wayne Williams of Grandview. Reserve champion boar was owned by N. L. Farmer, Platte City and the reserve sow champion was exhibited by Arthur Collins and Son, Trenton.

Prosperity Evident

Ticket-sellers at the gates of the Missouri State Fair express surprise at the number of purchasers who proffer five, ten, and even twenty-dollar bills, and then fail to get their change as they leave with their tickets. At all the gates, the men in charge find themselves frequently without enough small change and have to send messengers back to headquarters with surplus paper money to exchange for silver. "General prosperity is certainly evidenced by the rolls of bills fair visitors have to spend," commented one ticket seller.

Famous Horse Here

Easter Serenade, owned by Temple Stephens, Moberly, Mo., is back at the Missouri State Fair, but not partaking in any competition of the horse show classes. She is being ridden by Mr. Stephens each night of the horse show so Missouri horse lovers can again see the Missouri owned horse, which has become famous throughout the entire nation.

Easter Serenade, a five-gaited saddle horse, is the only horse in the world which has won her class in every outstanding horse show in the United States, and has had all the blue ribbons and trophies at the same time, and still holds them.

Several years ago when Easter Serenade first made her appearance at the Missouri State Fair, she carried away all the honors, and from that time on has become a horse which every horseman loves. She is Mr. Stephens' favorite, but he says, he is keeping Easter Serenade and this year is retiring her from professional exhibition.

She was born at Clinton, Mo., and was purchased by Mr. Stephens from George Roberts and Sons several years ago.

Each night of the present State Fair Horse Show, Mr. Stephens exhibits her for three minutes, the same as if she was competing in a class.

Col. Allen Thompson, Kansas City, of the American Royal live stock and horse show which is held in Kansas City each fall, is a visitor at the State Fair today. Col. Thompson is the guest of

the commissioner of agriculture John W. Ellis and Secretary Ernest W. Green.

"The nation's eyes are focused on the Missouri State Fair, this year, for plans for the 1946 expositions to be held throughout the country," Frank Joerling, representative and manager of the St. Louis branch of the Bill Board, said Wednesday when interviewed in the office of Secretary Ernest W. Baker.

Mr. Joerling, accompanied by Pat Purcell, Chicago representative of the showmen's publication, spent the day at the fair visiting the various exhibitors and their exhibits.

J. C. McCaffery, vice president of the Alabama State Fair association, was a visitor at the fair Wednesday. He was the guest of Secretary Ernest Baker. The Alabama State Fair is held at Birmingham.

OPA Still To Watch Prices

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spring to continue it in operation until May 15, 1946.

The eastern coal pinch will be with us again this winter.

So said Interior Secretary Ickes. He said the army was "ill-advised" in its report last week that lower military demands probably would end the civilian shortage.

The 80 per cent limit on eastern household coal therefore sticks this winter. There's no such limit on western coal.

Maybe—but only maybe—congress will be able to do something about the sugar shortage.

Shoes and window screening—about as scarce as anything in recent months—had fairer chances.

The army canceled orders for 10,000,000 pairs of footgear. WPB said screening might come back soon, and revoked the limitations on its use.

Makers In Doubt

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(P)—ordering 1942 price ceilings on household washing machines, ironers and aluminum kitchen ware left leading manufacturers in doubt today.

Most of them said they couldn't say whether they could produce at most prices, because they have started so recently to reconvey that they haven't yet determined costs of production or price levels.

In addition, one of them (General Electric) said through a representative that the choice of 1942 was puzzling because "no one was producing those things that year, anyway."

Soldiers Heavily Armed To Spearhead Landing In Japan

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must begin the evacuation of all combat units from the occupation zone, leaving only the local police to maintain order.

While the conquering forces will arrive prepared to meet any emergency, the Japanese themselves were reported taking steps to prevent outbreaks of violence.

Home broadcasts by the Japanese told the people to remain calm, keep out of the road of the evacuating Nipponese troops, "refrain from individually approaching occupation troops" and to be courteous if approached by Allied forces.

To Board Missouri Today
Sometime Friday, Japanese militarists will be taken aboard the battleship Missouri—whose 16-inch guns only a month ago were bombarding Japan—where they will sign the articles of surrender that will restore peace to the Pacific.

As supreme commander, MacArthur will sign for the Allied powers. Admiral Nimitz and Sir Bruce Fraser, whose U. S. and British Pacific fleets paralyzed Japan's naval power, will sign for their countries.

Gen. Hsu Yung-Chang, member of the board of military operations, will sign for China; Lt. Gen. Kuzma Nikolaevich Derjyanko will sign for Russia; Gen. Jacques Le Clerc, who had been designated chief of French forces to fight Japan, will sign for France; Gen. Sir Thomas Blamey will sign for Australia and Lt. Gen. L. H. Van Oyen, commander of the Netherlands East Indies army, for the Dutch.

It has yet to be announced who will sign for Japan, and Canada and New Zealand still have not designated their representatives.

While the formal act of surrender will not take effect for another week, surrenders in the field were ahead of schedule.

Generalissimo Stalin announced in Moscow that the Red army had occupied all Manchuria.

First of an estimated 120,000 Japanese troops in the by-passed islands of the Marshalls and Carolines of the central Pacific already have capitulated.

Arrests in Dining Car Racket

NEW YORK, Aug. 23.—(P)—The Federal Bureau of Investigation announced today 118 men throughout the country had been arrested in connection with a dining car racket which cost two railroads more than \$100,000 over a period of a year.

All of the men apprehended, E. E. Conroy, special agent in charge of the New York FBI office said, were stewards, waiters or cooks employed by the New York Central and Erie railroads on several of their best trains.

Squeeze Play



Hugh Mulcahy is back in game with Phillies, but he loses toss to his nephew, Frankie Hesford. Mulcahy was first major leaguer to enter the service.

Seizure Of I. C. By Order Of Truman

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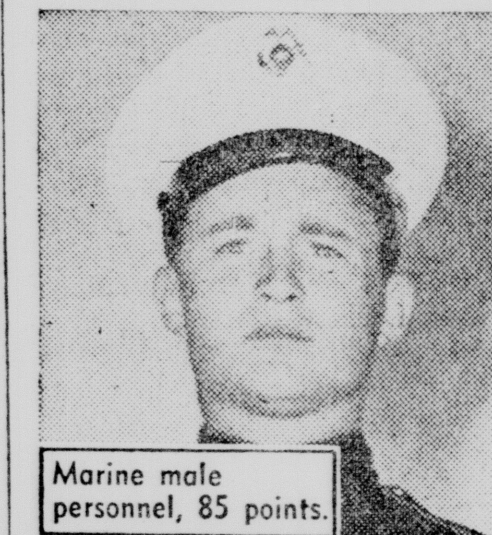
score of other enterprises where the companies or unions defied War Labor Board orders.

W. F. Kirk of Chicago, ODT's Western railroad director, was named as federal manager of the Illinois Central by ODI Director Col. J. Monroe Johnson. Kirk and Johnson immediately called upon all employees of the railroad to continue in their jobs and report for work at the usual time.

Army protection for persons employed or seeking employment was guaranteed under Col. Johnson's order which followed the Presidential directive.

The ODT said the seizure was ordered to maintain "an effective system of rail transportation for military and civilian freight and passenger movement."

Release System



Marine male personnel, 85 points.

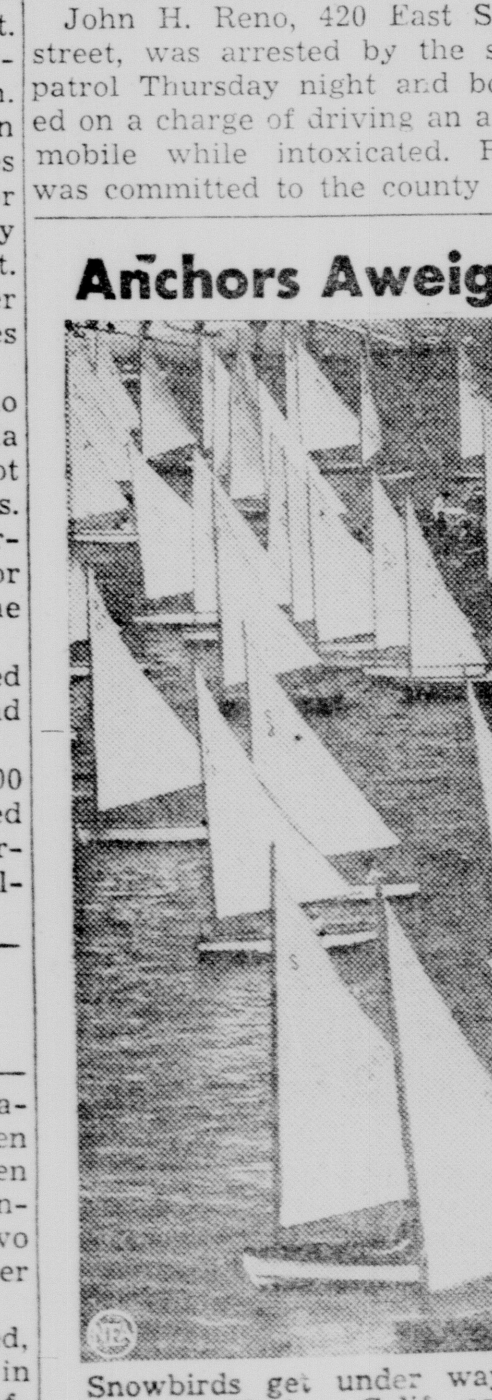


Marine female personnel, 25 points.

Marine point discharge system allows one point for each month of service since Sept. 16, 1940, one point for each month overseas or at sea since that date; five points for each decoration and bronze service star and 12 points for each child under 15, not to exceed three. Total points required are shown above. Certain key personnel will not be released until relief can be provided. The system does not apply to Marines serving a four-year contract enlistment in the regular Marines.

Charged With Driving Car While Intoxicated
John H. Reno, 420 East Sixth street, was arrested by the state patrol Thursday night and booked on a charge of driving an automobile while intoxicated. Reno was committed to the county jail.

Anchors Aweigh



Snowbirds get under way at Newport Harbor, Calif., as 135 trim little sailing craft begin six-mile race won by Bob White of Glendale, Calif.

Record Crowd Attends Races

Yoder's Best Guy And Clara Bell Win Chief Events

The Jefferson City Chamber of Commerce trophy for the Conditioned trot was won by Yoder's Best Guy owned and driven by Frank Vennom, Wichita, Kansas, while the John W. Ellis, Commissioner of Agriculture, trophy was won by Clara Belle, owned and driven by Earl Lugenbeel, Hiawatha, Kansas, for a second Conditioned Pace race.

Yoder's Best Guy placed first in two heats and third in another, while in the second race Clara Belle won all three heats of the race.

Another record crowd jammed the grandstand to witness the three events on the racing card.

Results:	First Race	Second Race	Third Race
Conditioned Trot.	1—2—3	1—2—3	1—2—3
Yoder's Best Guy, Frank Vennom, Wichita, Kans.	1 3 1	1 3 1	1 3 1
Willard's Easter Worth, V. E. Dolph, David City, Neb.	2 3 2	2 3 2	2 3 2
Gale Meadows, Joe Wolt, Weston, Neb.	2 1 3	2 1 3	2 1 3
En Jay, Bess Machurek, David City, Neb.	4 4 4	4 4 4	4 4 4
Time 2:19—2:22—2:14.			
Conditioned Pace.	1—2—3	1—2—3	1—2—3
Clara Belle, Earl Lugenbeel, Hiawatha, Kansas	1 1 1	1 1 1	1 1 1
Billy Jr., C. H. Bell, Kahoka, Mo.	3 4 3	3 4 3	3 4 3
Vernon Abbey, Frank Lenski, Wichita, Kansas	4 3 4	4 3 4	4 3 4
Marble Pate, Dr. H. A. Hatfield and son, Wichita, Kas.	2 2 2	2 2 2	2 2 2
Time 2:14—2:14—2:13.			
2:20 Trot.	1—2—3	1—2—3	1—2—3
Miss Cate Jay, Torrey Jenkins, Tins, Mo.	4 4 4	4 4 4	4 4 4
Prozela, Mond and Eckenberger, Mexico, Mo.	3 3 3	3 3 3	3 3 3
Smith Henley, Torrey Jenkins, Tins, Mo.	1 1 1	1 1 1	1 1 1
Rick Dodge, Harold Medill, Independence, Kansas.	2 2 2	2 2 2	2 2 2
Time 2:12—2:09—2:12.			

Friday's program consists of four races, the feature races being the "Missouri Press Purse," 2:24 Pace, and the "Ernest W. Baker Class," 2:12 Pace.

Results Thursday In Big Leagues

AMERICAN LEAGUE
Philadelphia 010 002 000—3 8 1
Detroit000 210 00x—4 10 2
Black and George; Tobin and Swift.

Boston at St. Louis played previous date.

Only games scheduled.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
Brooklyn012 010 000—4 9 2
New York000 010 000—1 4 0
Branca and Sandlock; Maglie, Voiselle, Adams and Kluttz.

Cincinnati000 020 000—2 9 1
Pittsburgh100 230 00x—6 10 1
Harris, Fox (5) Modak (7) and Lakeman; Beck and Salkeld.

COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Fortuna

By EVA SHORES
Maurice McDaniell, of Kansas City, was a guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McDaniell, from Wednesday until Friday.

Mrs. Ollie Thixton, of Kansas City, was a guest from Friday until Sunday here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. C. Harmony, of Osawatomie, Kansas, was a guest from Thursday until Saturday of her sister, Mrs. E. M. Hays, and Mr. Hays and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hofstetter and daughters, Marilyn Mae and Velora Rose, and Mrs. Victor Hofstetter and son were visitors in Jefferson City Saturday.

Mrs. Arabelle Petree and daughter, Lois Delene, accompanied their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Petree and children to Detroit, Mich., for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Stodgel and son, Billy, of Sedalia, were guests Wednesday of his mother, Mrs. Bertha Stodgel.

Pvt. Bennie Baxter, of Ft. Leonard Wood, was a guest over the week-end of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. Mart Kennedy and son, Gene, of Kansas City, was a guest here from Friday until Sunday of Mrs. Kennedy's brother, Elery Landrum, and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hutchison, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hutchison and daughters, Shirley Ann and Peggy, and Mrs. Glenn Drake were guests Sunday of Pvt. and Mrs. Russell Gates and son, Keith. Pvt. Gates returned Sunday to camp after spending a 30 days furlough here with his wife and son.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hotsenpiller attended a dinner Sunday in Syracuse at the home of Mrs. Ollie Burns in honor of Mrs. Hotsenpiller's uncle who is here for a short visit from Washington and R. G. Burns who returned to camp after a few days furlough here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Akins, of Sedalia, were guests Sunday of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Fowler.

Ralph and Billy McDaniell, Vent Thomas Drake, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Carter and daughters, Ernest Lee and Mary Lou, Mrs. Rost Mae Ayres and daughters, Carol Jean and Mary Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Woods and daughter, Naomi, were among those that attended the Sedalia Fair on Sunday.

Yl/c Robert Mummert stationed at New Orleans, La., is spending a short leave here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Mummert, and children.

Mrs. George Worley and child have moved from the farm of

Entries Of R. L. Gray Win at Horse Show

Take Two Stake Events Before A Great Crowd

Entries of R. L. Gray, Kansas City, were the winners of the two stake classes at the Missouri State Fair horse show, Thursday night. My Winning Ways Genius, won the three-gaited \$300 stake while the \$300 five-gaited junior stake was won by Garastanna Princess.

The attendance at the show was the largest of the five nights which have been shown and the attendance broke a night show record over a period of more than fifteen years.

Results:
Fine Harness, Ladies to drive: Claire Genius, owned by R. L. Gray, Kansas City, first; Lady Pence, owned by George Roberts and son, Clinton, second. Judged by Harry Linn, Des Moines, Ia.

Walking horses, stallion, Missouri owned:—Hay Jack Wilson, owned by Rex P. Kreider, Springfield, first; Allen Bell Star, Knill Kisses, Sparta, second; The Limit Allen, L. Ray Hedgpeth, Nixa, third; Easter Gold, Elmer Hicks, Bolivar, fourth. Judged by Harry Linn.

Three-gaited horses, seat and hands class ridden by boy or girl under 16 years:—Lil Abner, Karl Schmidt, Springfield, Mo., first; Arletha Wanita, Bob Simcox, Blue Springs, Mo., second. Judged by John Hook, Mexico, Mo.

Five - gaited combination:—Lady Pence, Dr. H. O. Pence, Kansas City, first; Chief of Star Lane, E. C. Rhoden, Kansas City, second; Chief of Westport, Jay Jones, Nevada, third. Judged by John Hook.

Three-gaited, \$300 Stake, for saddle horse driver 14:2—My Winning Ways Genius, R. L. Gray, Kansas City, first; Kansas City Star, R. L. Gray, second; Lom-bardy Lady, Mrs. R. L. Wheelock, Corsicana, Tex., third; Lil Abner, Karl Schmidt, Springfield, Mo., third; Arletha Wanita, Bob Simcox, Blue Springs, fifth. Judged by Don Kays, Columbus, Ohio, and Harry Linn.

Five gaited Junior Stake, \$300: Garastanna Princess, R. L. Gray, Kansas City, first; Fair Acres Admiral, Mrs. R. L. Wheelock, Corsicana, Tex., second; Jewell Stonewall, S. W. Steven, Hughesville, Mo.; third; Sue Stephens, Temple Stephens, Moberly, Mo., fourth; McDonald Royal Rex, Karl Schmidt, Springfield, fifth; Tiny Peavine, Jay Jones, Nevada, Mo., sixth. Judged by Don Kays, Harry Linn and John Hook.

Palomino Stock Horse class:—Gold Chief, B. F. Kelso, Kansas City, first; Famous Ray, J. A. Bowen, Ft. Scott, Kansas, second; Don Hirtpe, B. F. Kelso, Kansas City, third; Trigger, Pendleton Hieronymus, fourth. Judged by Harry Linn.

Friday night will be the final night for the 1945 Missouri State Fair horse show.

New Contract Is Signed By Feller

CLEVELAND, Aug. 23.—(P)—The Cleveland Indians signed their navy-discharged pitching star, Bob Feller, to a new contract today, calling for somewhere in the neighborhood of \$40,000 per year.

From The Rindland

HOLDREDGE, Neb., Aug. 23.—(P)—German prisoners of war at work here were given their first taste of watermelon. One of them ate his entire piece, rind and all.

Mr. and Mrs. Zora Charles to the property in Fortuna of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Mummert.

John Wright, of Kansas City, is a guest of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Quincy Cox, and children.

Mrs. Bertha Stodgel was a guest Wednesday in California of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Paxson.

Mrs. Ollie Thixton has sold her property in Fortuna to Mr. and Mrs. Soulesly, of Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Mummert spent Tuesday in Kansas City with their son Leonard who is a patient in the St. Luke's hospital.

Mrs. Dave Rodner was a guest Friday and Saturday in Eldon and attended the Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Blankenship have purchased the property in Fortuna of Mrs. Lenna Hamilton.

Allen and Mickel Bradey, of Kansas City, are guests of Mrs. George Worley and children.

Mrs. Mary Ferguson and Mrs. Margaret Purnell are guests in California of Mr. and Mrs. Will Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Richardson and children were guests Sunday Windsor of relatives.

Mrs. Ada Drake and Miss Melvina Ball, of Kansas City, are guests of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Thixton, of Waynesville, were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Emmette Devine and Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Berkey.

Mrs. Russell Gates accompanied her husband, Pvt. Russell Gates, to Jefferson Barracks Sunday.

Their son, Keith, is a guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hunchison.

Democrat-Capital class ads get results. 10 words, 1 week, 50c. Phone 1000.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Dora Hill Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Dora Hill, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. M. Shumaker, 527 North Grand avenue Tuesday evening, were held at the Ewing funeral home at 12:35 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

The service was read by Jules Yount of Kansas City. Mrs. M. O. Stevens sang, "No Night There," "In the Garden" and "In the Sweet Bye and Bye" accompanied by Mrs. Mae Moser.

Six grandsons served as pallbearers: Dude Pirtle, Pfc. Bus Walker, Cpl. Delbert Schumaker Earl Barb, James Barb and John Barb.

Interment was in the Hill family lot in the Faler cemetery south of Warsaw.

John W. Wiegand Funeral

Funeral services for John W. Wiegand, who suffered a heart attack Sunday at the home of his sister, Mrs. Roy Williams, 701 West Second street, and died at 12:25 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Gillespie funeral home with Rev. William Bessmer, pastor of the Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church officiating.

Mrs. J. U. Morris and Mrs. H. F. Schrankler will sing "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" and "Sometime We'll Understand." Miss Lillian Fox will be the accompanist.

Pallbearers will be: Carl Bennett, Ray Williams, J. E. Downy, Frank Adams, W. M. Eckles and J. D. Johnson.

Mr. Wiegand was born in Alton, Ill., on August 6, 1884, the son of the late Henry and Emma Wiegand. He was employed at the Missouri Pacific shops and for the past several years had made his home with the Williams family.

Surviving are three brothers, Jess and Joe, Sedalia; Roy of Albuquerque N. M., and four sisters, Mrs. Roy Williams, Mrs. Fred Brink, Mrs. Marvin Lankenau and Mrs. Floyd Knerl, all of Sedalia. The body will remain at the funeral home until after the services and burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

James B. Handley

James B. Handley, aged 39, a former Sedalia, who has been residing in Houston, Texas, for some time, died there Wednesday night. He was owner and operator of the J. B. Handley Construction Co.

He leaves his wife and three children, Pat and Norm, of the home and Mrs. Virginia Laws, of Houston, his mother, Mrs. P. H. Handley, 419 East Sixth street, Sedalia, and two brothers, Major P. H. Handley, who has been in the European theatre of war for three years, and Master Sergeant Fred Handley, who has been in the Pacific, believed now to be on his way to the state.

The body will be brought to Sedalia for burial. It will be taken to the Gillespie funeral home, but it was not definitely known when it would arrive, and no funeral arrangements have been made.

Mrs. John M. Bente Service
Funeral services for Mrs. John M. Bente, who died at her home in Otterville Wednesday morning, will be held at the family home at 2:30 p. m. today with the Rev. W. E. McGraw, Baptist minister of Kansas City, former friend and neighbor of the family, to officiate.

Songs, to be sung by a men's trio composed of Thornton Wear, Gus Wear and Jesse Straten, accompanied by Mrs. Will Street, will be, "The Old Rugged Cross," "In the Sweet By and By" and "Sometime We'll Understand."

Pallbearers will be Lute Wilkerson, Judd Golladay, Walter Anthony, all of Otterville, Pete Fahs of Warrensburg, Jesse Parsons of Syracuse and Dick Cranmer of Kansas City.

Burial will be in the Otterville I. O. O. F. cemetery.

Seek to Retain Emergency Controls

LONDON, Aug. 23.—(P)—Britain's new Labor government introduced legislation today seeking broad authority to retain for at least five years many of its wartime emergency controls, including the right to peg prices and regulate services and supplies.

Majority Leader Herbert Morrison, Chancellor of the Exchequer Hugh Dalton and Sir Stafford Cripps, president of the board of trade, presented the measure to Commons All are top ranking officials of Prime Minister Attlee's cabinet.

Units Due to Arrive Thursday

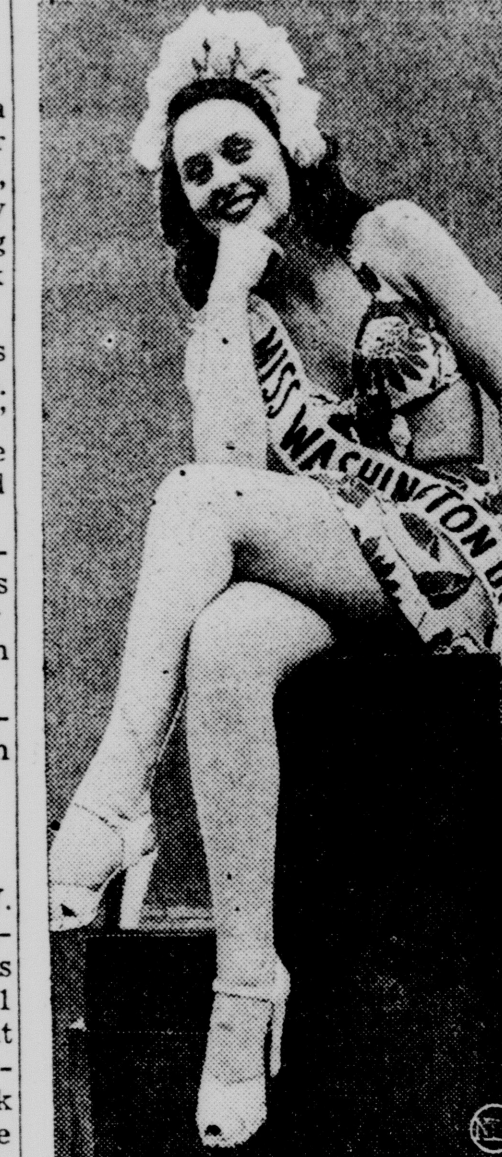
By The Associated Press
The following army units were scheduled to arrive in the United States Thursday from Europe:

At New York—(Aboard Costa Rica Victory) 1,923 troops including Headquarters and Third Battalion, 515th Parachute Infantry Regiment and Headquarters 13th Airborne Division; 713th Airborne Ordnance Maintenance Company. (Aboard Peter Minuit) 735 troops, mostly for rotation or discharge. (Aboard Sea Serpent) 15 troops, all casual.

At Boston—None.

At Newport News, Va.—None.

Capital Idea



Since Washington has been in the habit of issuing priorities, the Capital thinks it has a monopoly on Miss America honors to be won at Atlantic City this year. Reason—Dorothy Powell, 21, above, selected as "Miss Washington."

Highest Award Of Nation to Army Troops

Bestowed on 28 In Largest Mass Ceremony of Kind

WASHINGTON, Aug. 23.—(P)—President Truman bestowed the Congressional Medal of Honor on 28 army heroes today in the largest mass ceremony of its kind.

Before a large audience of high ranking military and civilians and members of the families of those honored, the president tied the highest award of the nation on each of the officers and men after citations for their individual deeds of heroism were read by Maj. Gen. Edward F. Witsell, acting adjutant general.

An orchestra from the army band played before the ceremony in a lobby outside the historic East Room, which is reserved for memorable occasions.

Two of the heroes were in wheel chairs. Another was totally blind. Applause followed each medal bestowed.

196 Awards
The awards brought to 196 the number of Medals of Honor given to army personnel in World War Two. The heroes came from 19 states, with one from Canada.

In the group were one lieutenant colonel, three captains, four lieutenants, 16 sergeants, and four privates.

The ceremony was to have been held in the Rose garden, but rain forced it inside.

The medals were bestowed on the men in alphabetical order.

Of the 28 recipients, 24 are veterans of the European theater of operations and four earned their awards in the Pacific. The large number decorated in a single ceremony was said by the War Department to have been due to the fact that many of the men were badly wounded and it was impossible to have earlier presentations.

Fought After Legs Were Off
Such men as Pfc. Silvestre S. Herrera of Phoenix, Ariz., who kept on fighting after his feet were blown off by a mine, were in the group.

Youngest of the twenty-eight is S/Sgt. James R. Hendrix of Lepanto, Ark. Hendrix was 19 at the time he earned the medal as a member of Company C, 53rd armored infantry battalion of the 4th armored division last December 26. The former farm boy wiped out two enemy artillery positions and saved the lives of three of his comrades when his outfit was assigned the task of breaking through the Belgian town of Assenois and relieving the besieged garrison at Bastogne.

No. 9300
Administrator's Notice
Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Walter J. Wheeler deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 10th day of August, 1945, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any